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## In Memory of Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks Hon. President General Mary S. Lockwood, Chaplain-General

[As the Magazine was going to press, the news of the death of Mrs. Fairbanks was received, and the forms were held for this tribute.—*Editor.*]

The National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution in silence mourn with the bereaved family of Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks, around the bier of the beloved wife and mother. We Daughters can only recall the beautiful traits in her character and try to emulate them. The purity of her life; the high standard of her aims, we will ever have before us; what she has been to our Society through the years as member and President General cannot be reckoned in a day, but in the years to come we will be reaping the reward of her rich service.

She was a woman of broad attainments, possessed of a nature without malice or prejudice and gave to all with a liberal hand and heart credit due, withholding nothing; justness was her governing precept.

In her long and strenuous work for this Society, she brought to fruition what her predecessors had made plans for. *The building of Memorial Continental Hall.*

Mrs. Harrison, our first President General, advised the carrying out of the resolution of October 18, 1890, which advocated the building of a Hall. At a

meeting of the Board, October 10, 1892, a resolution was offered by the Treasurer General that all fees in payment of life membership should be set apart as a nucleus to this fund.

At the First Continental Congress the permanent fund had reached the sum of \$650.00. At the Second Continental Congress the sum had reached \$1,407.37. At the Third Congress, February, 1894, Mrs. Stevenson, President General, urged the progress of the work on "The House Beautiful." The fund then amounted to \$2,128.40. At the Fourth Congress, Mrs. John W. Foster, President General, the steady accumulation brought the fund to \$3,623.34.

In 1896, when Mrs. Stevenson was again President General, the sum had reached \$5,772.82. In 1897 there was in the permanent fund \$11,231.98. That year (1897) a committee was formed to push the work, and in 1898 and during 1899 and 1900 the President General, Mrs. Daniel Manning, with this committee, devised excellent methods for furthering the work. In 1898 the fund amounted to \$29,840.74; in 1899 it had grown to \$43,508.86, and in 1900 it had reached the sum of \$50,066.07.

In 1901 Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks, being President General, brought great enthusiasm into the Society for the cause of Memorial Continental Hall. She was unceasing in her efforts. The permanent fund at this time was \$65,828.84. Wisely conducted plans of work by chapters and individuals had brought the total to \$82,190.57.

On June 4, 1902, by action of the committee on Memorial Continental Hall, the Board assembled at the residence of Mrs. Fairbanks, President General, this being in compliance with the Constitution, three-fourths of the members present, they agreed to the purchase of a site "to have and to hold forever," a site upon which to build the Hall. The net expense of the ground was \$50,266.17.

During the Twelfth Continental Congress, Monday, February 23, 1903, the Congress took a recess at 4 P. M. for the ceremony of raising, on the site of Memorial Continental Hall, 17th and D Streets, the flag which was presented by the Sons of the American Revolution of the District of Columbia to the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. Fairbanks assisted in raising this flag. During these exercises a message came from Mr. Fairbanks (then Vice-President of the United States) at the Capitol that the property would be exempt from taxation. Her next duty was to assist in breaking the ground and turning the first sod, and in due time came the laying of the cornerstone when Mrs. Fairbanks gave the main address. The following April, 1905, Memorial Continental Hall was dedicated, and our President General, Mrs. Fairbanks, had the honor and the pleasure of greeting the Daughters in their new home. In her opening remarks she said: "This dedication marks the realization of a resolution passed at the first meeting of our Society October, 1891, to erect a fire-proof museum for Revolutionary relics, possessions and records of the Society.

"We thrice welcome you to the dedication of Memorial Continental Hall, our Society's greatest enterprise, the symbol of its work and spirit whose 'doorstead' we have faith to believe is:

*'The Lintel low enough  
To keep out Pomp and Pride.  
The Threshold high enough  
To turn Deceit aside.  
The Doorband strong enough  
From Robbers to defend.  
This Door will open at a touch  
To welcome every Friend.'*

"The Daughters of the American Revolution have reached a time for which they long have dreamed. A place for which they long have sought, earnestly worked for and grandly achieved. The time is this day, April 17, 1905, a date significant evermore in its annals, for now the representatives of fifty thousand members of this Society assemble in a Continental Congress for the first time in their own auditorium, with their own roof above them, their own walls surrounding them, their own ground beneath their feet. The dream has come true. Its reality is surpassingly fair, in good sooth, the place is almost holy ground to the true Daughter.

"I dreamed that stone by stone was reared a sacred fane. A temple neither pagoda, mosque nor church, but loftier, ampler, always open-doored to every breath from Heaven, and truth and peace and love and justice came and dwelt therein."

Such was the benediction of our beloved President General, Mrs. Cornelia Cole Fairbanks, at her closing Congress.

In October, this year, when in the city, she came to the Board meeting presided over by Mrs. William Cumming Story, President General, and her gentle words and sweet advice will abide with all who were within hearing, and now that the book is closed whence she can make no more additions, let us grow wise in remembering her sweet admonitions. And as we know she is at rest in the Summerland of Peace, let us be doubly diligent in the work and operations she had at heart, and may we be instrumental in helping her dream come true. That our Official Home shall be open-doored to every breath from Heaven; that truth and peace and love and justice may come and dwell therein.

If such be the result, our dearly beloved Cornelia Cole Fairbanks has not lived in vain.

# Ivy Planting at Memorial Continental Hall

Tuesday, September 30th, marked an interesting event in the history of Memorial Continental Hall—the exercises attendant upon the ceremony of planting the ivy from Mt. Vernon at the base of each of the thirteen columns which represent the thirteen original States, at the south end of the building which commemorates the soldiers of the American Revolution.

Although at a season when the weather is apt to be most inauspicious for outdoor affairs, nothing more beautiful in the way of an early autumn day could have been desired and a large gathering of the Daughters of the American Revolution and their friends gathered on the South Portico to witness the planting of the sturdy little shoots from the parent plant at the home of Washington.

As the columns are set in concrete and no place for the plants to take root could be made without removing the tiles and blocks of marble forming steps and flooring, the actual planting was done on the lawn at the base of the portico and each place was marked by the coat of arms of the State represented by that particular plant.

Within the semi-circle of columns was placed a platform banked with palms, and overhead hung two large silk flags, one bearing thirteen stars and the other a full complement.

Chairs were placed for the representatives of the thirteen States at either side of the platform, and at each chair stood a spade tied with the official ribbon of blue and white.

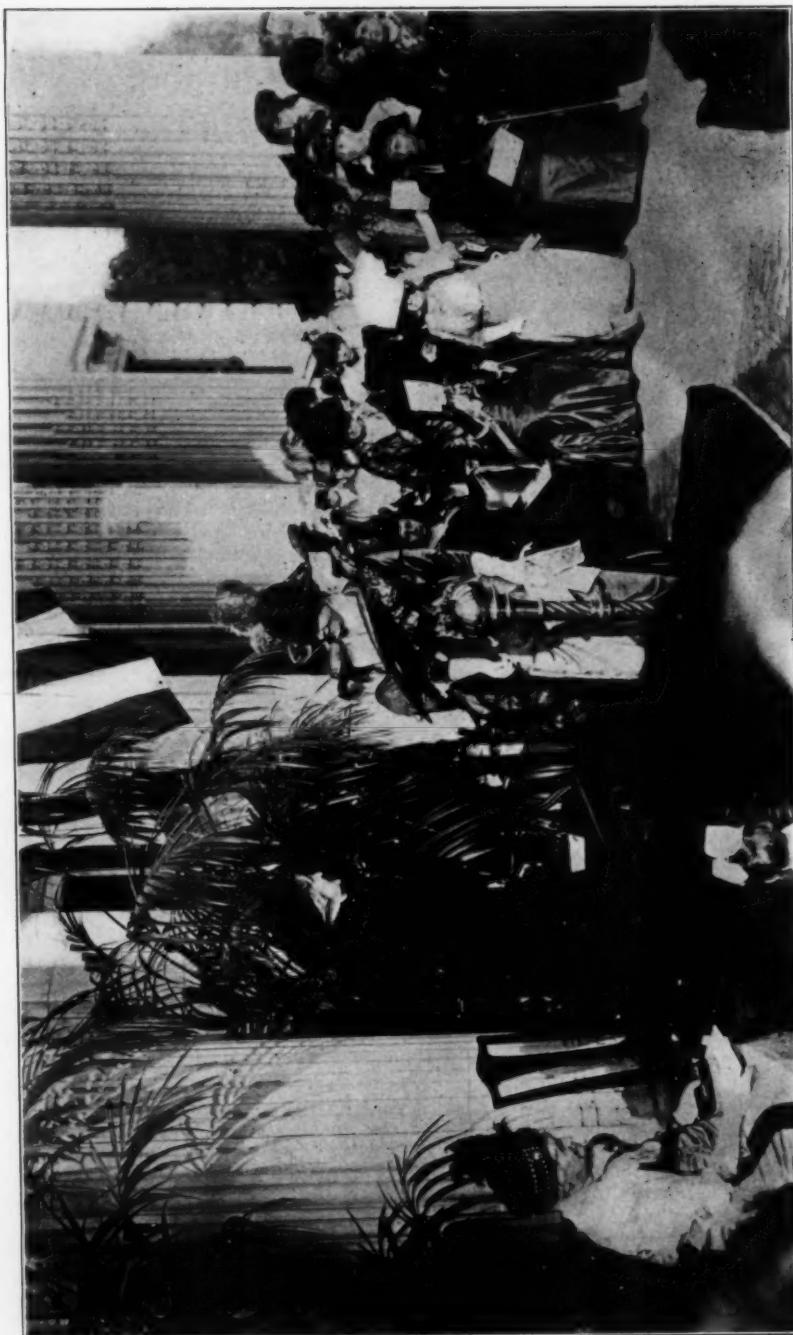
At three o'clock, the President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story, Mrs. Ball, regent of the Mt. Vernon Ladies' Association, the Chaplain General, Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood, Mrs. Ellen Hardin Walworth, a founder of the National Society, and Mrs. Charles W. Richardson, State Regent of the District of Columbia, and Chairman of the Building and Grounds Committee, together with the ladies who were to take active part in

the planting, took their places and Mrs. Richardson spoke as follows:

"Madam President General, Founders, National Officers past and present, Regents and Daughters, and especially the regents of the thirteen original States who have come from a distance to be present at this family gathering, the President General has asked me to give a brief outline of to-day's ceremonies. The Regents of Mount Vernon presented the President General with 13 ivy plants from the grave of George Washington, which she appreciated so much that she decided she would invite others to share the pleasure with her by asking them to come to-day to plant the ivy around this beautiful building. On account of the shortness of time, the remarks the regents of the 13 original states will make will have to be limited to three minutes."

The Chaplain General then opened the exercises with the following prayer: "Our Heavenly Father, we thank Thee for all the blessings of the years that have come to us as an organization. We thank thee that Thou hast planted this nation and we thank Thee for the preferred stock Thou selected and guided over the waters to plant a new nation in the new land, and we thank Thee that so many descendants of those who suffered and died in the early years of the Republic are here to-day to represent in the service that we are about to have the great name of the Father of Our Country by planting the evergreen ivy, to be watched over and through the years by his descendants.

The President General, Mrs. Story, then came forward and said: "Members of the Daughters of the American Revolution and friends who are with us to-day, there are words of welcome on my lips and a sincere loving greeting in my heart, but I will not take your time to express to you any of the feeling that I have on this occasion which I believe has brought the sentiment and



*Photo by G. V. Buck, Washington, D. C.*  
THE PRESIDENT GENERAL, MRS. WILLIAM CUMMING STORY ACKNOWLEDGING THE GIFT OF THE  
IVY FROM MT. VERNON.

feeling to all of us. I want to proceed at once to the introduction of the gracious woman who represents that great organization of regents, who have cared so tenderly and so ably for years for the precious reliques that surround and are represented at Mount Vernon. It is my very great pleasure to present to you Mrs. Ball, Regent of the Ladies' Association of Mount Vernon."

Mrs. Ball replied: "Madam President General and the Ladies of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution. I come with greeting to-day to you from the Mt. Vernon Ladies' Association. Miss Comegys, unhappily detained from being here on this interesting occasion, has deputized me to speak to you for her in her stead. I feel myself very much honored in being here to-day, and I also feel very much at home, for the Daughters of the American Revolution and the regents of the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association, are closely akin in sympathy. Are we not doing the same patriotic work? Do we not draw our inspiration from the same source? The great patriotic work that you have already accomplished in your noble and honored Society compels the admiration and gratitude of the American people, and we well know that great things, great achievements are still before you. Your work embraces the great broad land. Ours is a specific work. We have rescued the home and tomb of our Washington from destruction, and the restoration of his home and tomb and its preservation has been our work. There never was a more magnificent illustration of the greatness of Washington than when, after the proclamation of the Treaty of Paris, his beloved country safe from the shadow of war, he sought his loved Mount Vernon to rest and retired there to find rest from the strife of faction. Though he saved the existence of our new-born nation, vilification and ingratitude was the portion of Washington. Calmly he cultivated his lands while the storm of party raged. His dignity, his forbearance, his humility before God, his preparedness for death, all testify to the beauty of his Christian character. Apart from the din of the great city, and under the

quiet shade of Mount Vernon, I come to you to-day from his home. Here is ivy that grew in that sacred spot—we will plant it beside this magnificent edifice, an enduring monument to your devoted love of country. As the tendrils of these plants shall reach out and entwine themselves here, would that, with their growth, renewed enthusiasm might stir our country in this coming generation for Washington. Our day is not a day of sentiment: commercialism and greed of gain blunt the finer feelings; reverence is not an American trait, the way of Republics is to level great men and to speak humorously about their deportment. Would that the tiresome story of the cherry tree and the little hatchet might be forever buried, together with many biographical writings of Washington. The world to-day acclaims Washington the greatest man that this country, or any other country, ever produced. Representatives from all nations pay homage and bare their heads before his modest tomb. Shall we not seek to instill in the boys and girls of America reverence and a true noble love for our superb Washington?"

After the applause had died away, it was renewed as the President General came forward to accept the gift. She said: "Madam Regent of Mount Vernon Ladies' Association: In the name of the Daughters of the American Revolution, I accept with great appreciation this gracious gift tendered to our organization. Our thought has been that in uniting our building, which is a memorial to the men and women who achieved American independence, with that precious spot that is so well guarded by our great organization, it would add to our possessions great value and inexpressible tenderness, and in the living green would be expressed the vitality and strength and life that we wish to put into this work that is one of sentiment. I express the hope that it will never die, and should we be so unfortunate as to lose any of these precious gifts, that they may be replanted and sustained to live always as a tribute to the ideals that we stand for. The thought then comes to me that while this building as a whole represents the national char-

acter of our organization surrounded by the loving tribute of the States, and while we pay homage to the original thirteen States and intimately associate them with this beautiful portico, which stands for a special tribute to them, we hope to represent in the planting of the grounds the absolutely national character of our organization, and exemplify the feeling and the thought that every member has her individual value, every State has its importance, and never mind how great the distance may be, how dividing matters may be between the central government and that State, they may be brought closer and nearer to each other by this organization of women who try to stand for the conservation of American ideals. You will have the pleasure of hearing just a short word of greeting from the women who are representing the thirteen States and I regret that we cannot give all the time that we wish to what I know will be of value and inspiration to you all, but I must simply tell you in closing that I deeply appreciate your presence, that it is an inspiration to me—as the months wear on I am realizing more and more the great and blessed privilege of being a Daughter of the American Revolution.

"May this ivy, which clung so lovingly to the home of Washington, twine as closely around the thirteen pillars of the home of the Daughters, inspiring them to make this building a monument and memory of like heroism, patriotism and love, a hallowed thought in the heart of every American woman, and in the centuries which must come, may this building stand, not only the greatest ever erected by women, but a building erected by the greatest women of all times! Women who worked, not for personal ambition, but in splendid harmony for the uplift of their country; women who answered every patriotic call of their country, from the White House to the hovel, from the statesman to the ragged Mountain boy; women who gave their time, their strength and brain to make a nation of patriots; women who inspired all men to achieve honor and patriotism.

"Madam President, General and Daughters of American Revolution, Virginia thanks you for this courtesy.

Mrs. Bond, who represented Massachusetts, said:

"I bring greetings from the State and great pleasure too that this little symbol, his bond of union between the home of our great patriot, has been brought here to thrive and grow about our beautiful home. As acts speak louder than words, Massachusetts history must speak for itself, and as silence is golden, I will give you the tribute of gold by saying no more."

The State and vice-State regents of New Hampshire were unable to be present so a visiting member spoke a few appropriate words for her State, and was followed by Mrs. Buel, State regent of Connecticut, who said:

"Connecticut hardly expected that there would be remarks this afternoon, therefore she, likewise, is unprepared to say anything adequate in behalf of Connecticut, but I am never sorry, and Connecticut is never sorry of an opportunity to bring greetings to the Daughters of the American Revolution and of the other States, and is more than honored to be able to take part to-day on this occasion for the transplanting of ivy from Mount Vernon. It reminds me of our Connecticut motto, *Qui transtulit sustinet*, he who transplants, must sustain. And so Connecticut, in taking part in the transplanting of this ivy, will forever sustain the highest and best interests of our great society, and as our Connecticut column supports the roof of Continental Hall and helps to support our beautiful building, so Connecticut will forever remain in the future, as in the past, one of the most loyal and staunchest supporters of our beautiful Memorial Continental Hall."

Mrs. Guss spoke a few words of greeting from Rhode Island.

Mrs. Boshart, vice State regent of New York: "I want to tell you that New York with her ten thousand Daughters, one-tenth of the membership of the whole society, feels very proud, and I feel proud and consider it a great honor to be here to-day to represent that State at this ivy planting. We not only represent it with ten thousand Daughters, but we have the honor of having the President General from that State."

Mrs. Yardley, State regent, of New Jersey said: "The responsibilities of the office are very heavy on such an occasion as this, because I feel that I cannot adequately express the pleasure that New Jersey will feel when it hears that one of those branches of ivy has been planted around the column given by New Jersey to this beautiful building. New Jersey worthily bore her part during the time of the Revolution. It was

be here in behalf of the State of Pennsylvania—our State regent having been taken away from us last summer, and our State vice regent being unable to come. I am very glad to have the opportunity of thanking the donor of this beautiful ivy, for I am sure it will add to the value in our eyes of this beautiful building with the sentiment that surrounds it all. I am proud to represent my State, and hope that the

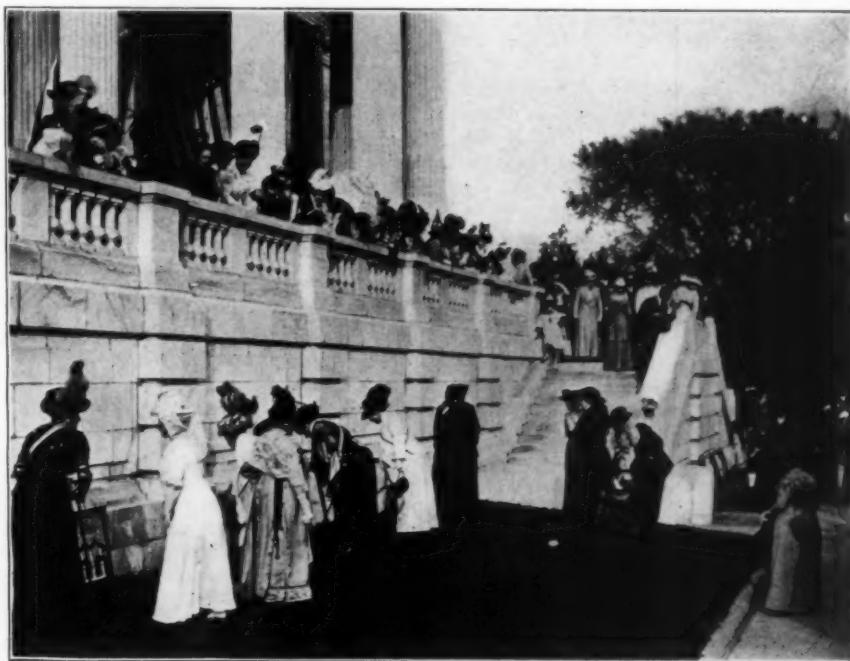


Photo by G. V. Buck, Washington, D. C.

PLANTING THE IVY.

a prey to friend and foe, if you will remember, and some of the very decisive battles were fought there, and some of the hard trudging through the State of the foes who did so much to hurt the State that we deplored so much. We express the hope that this ivy, this branch of peace, will do everything to cement our long friendship and our loyalty to this building.

Mrs. Perley, Vice President General from Pennsylvania: 'I am very glad to

ivy will thrive as Pennsylvania has ever thrived.' The President General then introduced Mrs. Hall, State regent, of Delaware who spoke as follows: 'Like Virginia I might say that I never thought the day would come when I would be delegated to plant some ivy near the pillar that we helped to raise the money for, but it seems to me that it is very fitting that the ivy and the pillars should go together, and the pillars be adorned by the ivy that comes from

the home of the man who was called the Father of his Country. You know these pillars only represent the thirteen little States that in a crucial moment decided that they must become a Republic and stand a Republic by themselves. It was the deciding vote of Delaware that made it possible that they throw off the yoke and become the independent Republic. Six States had declared for independence; Massachusetts and New England had felt the oppression; they had every reason to think that it was the best thing for them to go out, but the middle and the Southern States did hesitate, they never dreamed, perhaps, that they might become independent, and they were not sure that it was a wise policy—it was not that they were less loyal, but they had not felt the need of going out—so they were six to six and it took Delaware to make the seventh, and they went out and the rest all came and followed. You all owe a great deal to Delaware. Now the beginning of those thirteen States—just as our beginning was small, but it has grown just like the Republic has grown, and we, the Daughters of the Revolution, must keep pace and time with the men of this great Republic; let us be worthy daughters of the sons of the men who decided the fight of a nation, and besides doing the work that comes to us in our natural way we must keep pace with the progress of the times and lift our voices whenever it is right, and in our Child Welfare work, in the home schools, let us make ourselves worthy of the ancestors of the men and of the women of the days of 1776."

Mrs. Hogan, State Regent, of Maryland said: "If there is one thing that I could regret having been born a native Tennessean it is that I was not born a native of one of the thirteen original States. My ancestors, Madam President General, were from two of them, and now I am a member of a Maryland family, and with the planting of the ivy I will feel that I have taken root in Maryland and hereafter will claim that I am a Marylander. But, just as these thirteen columns support the building that represents the Daughters of the whole nation, these thirteen original

States stood for this splendid nation that has grown in such a short time. I am most proud to be here to represent Maryland to-day on this historic occasion of the planting of the ivy."

The President General then said: "I think that although our representatives have not been prepared for elaborate remarks, the results have been far sweeter than anything could be that had been prepared beforehand. We have heard so much that is good and inspiring from all these others States that from North Carolina I am just going to ask for the toast of that State."

The North Carolina toast, given by Mrs. Reynolds, State regent:

*"Here's to the land of the long-leaved pine,  
The summer land, where the sun doth shine;  
Where the weak grow strong, and the strong grow great;  
Here's to down home, the Old North State."*

South Carolina was represented by a visiting member who said: "I am sorry, I simply represent my flag, and to say that South Carolina is proud of being one of the original thirteen States to plant the ivy, to live unto all eternity."

Mrs. Foster, State regent, of Georgia said: "Although Georgia was the youngest, of the thirteen States, she was the fourth to sign the Constitution, and she has always stood in the foremost ranks in the affairs of our country. As we plant this ivy let us bow our heads in reverence and devotion to the Father of our Country, and may this ivy be emblematic of the love of the Georgia Daughters to our patriotic organization. It is not right for us to remember at this time the admonition of Washington, to Observe good faith and justice toward all nations; cultivate peace with the whole world. Justice toward all nations, peace and harmony with all the world—peace with all the world is my sincere desire, and now may the Georgia Daughters always be ready to work in

peace and harmony, not only for ourselves, but for others."

At the conclusion of these brief remarks the President General made a brief and interesting address as follows:

"This occasion will carry with it a great many recollections that are precious to you, and I know that in your minds has been the thought of many dear women who are intimately associated with this building who are not with us to-day. I have kept in mind continually the recollection of the day when Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks with the little spade took up the first shovelful of dirt, breaking the ground for this great building, and going before her and following after her there are women in office and out of office who are precious to us, who are of inestimable value to this Society—let us feel that this occasion, which we hope is full of sentiment and feeling, will unite more closely every member in this great work, and as I believe these vines will grow together and twine about each other, the feeling that we should have and that we will have, and that we must have, in order that we may accomplish the great ends we aim for, is not as a divided section, but a united whole. We are in the presence of that great monument, that memorial to the great Washington, we are here in the shadow of that flag of thirteen stars and our flag of forty-eight stars, and we realize all that has been done and all that must be done, and if we have the feeling that every Daughter should have and must have, we realize that opportunity is a privilege, a privilege not to be ignored, not to be forgotten, but to be held precious, close to us always, and that we must do our share in meeting all that comes to us as American citizens, first as American citizens, and then as Daughters of the American Revolution. I feel that I could not close without paying my word of tribute to the State regent of the District of Columbia, who has so splendidly planned the arrangements for the day: I feel that we all owe her a vote of thanks. I have had the delightful experience of having her write to me about a certain project at the very time that I had written to her on the same subject. That has seemed

to me a very desirable and very lovely condition of affairs between officers in an organization. The matter of beautifying the grounds of this building I honestly believe came to us both at the same time. I want you to realize that we owe a great deal to the State regent of the District of Columbia, Mrs. Richardson. I am going to ask for a few words of greeting from one of our Founders. It is so great a privilege to have her present with us and to feel that she is even more deeply interested in our great work, if this is possible, than in the days when it was so hard to organize, so hard to arouse the enthusiasm of others, and now we have thousands and thousands of women all over the country ready to respond. Let us never forget that at one time there were just a handful. I take a great pleasure in presenting to you, Mrs. Ellen Hardin Walworth, one of the Founders."

Mrs. Walworth's address was:

"To me, this 'Planting of the Ivy' from the home of Washington, is a thrilling event, because, of all the patriotic impulses and enthusiasms of my life, those connected with Mt. Vernon have a peculiarly tender and personal interest; for my own mother, as the first vice-president for the State of New York in the Mt. Vernon Association, was closely and intimately associated with the earliest efforts and struggles of the first two regents of that association, Miss Cunningham and Mrs. Berghmans, once Lilly McAllister, the noted belle and beauty of Philadelphia and Washington.

Miss Cunningham was, as you know, the founder and organizer of that association; she, the gentle, refined, cultured heroine of South Carolina, was indeed more than founder; she was the pioneer woman of America to lead the way and often through thorns and thistles and rugged pathways, for all national organizations of women with a specific patriotic purpose in view. Blessed be her name! and great her fame!

When the Congress of the United States, and the Legislature of Virginia had each refused an appeal to them to rescue Mt. Vernon from a sale which would convert it into a factory, this delicate woman dared to raise her hand and

exclaim, "Stop! the women of America will buy that sacred spot;" and they did, under her wise and skilful leadership. You cannot conceive the difficulties and discouragements she surmounted for many years—you should read of them in your early American Monthly Magazine, 3 vol.

You who are Daughters of the American Revolution and Regents may well consider that Miss Cunningham is, in a way, your godmother, as it is from her, the first American woman to bear the title of Regent, that your own titles come as regent of States and chapters. In the beginning of our society I suggested this in a remembrance of my youthful reverence for that noble regent who literally gave herself, her fortune, and her time to the rescue of the tomb of Washington from desecration.

I have brought her picture for you to see, and would have you note the finely

moulded square chin and classic nose that indicate strength of character. I will venture to recommend that hereafter every 30th of September shall in our society be called "Mt. Vernon Day" when we will lay a wreath of remembrance before our portrait of Washington, and also a wreath of remembrance, on this Ivy plant, for the first regent and woman pioneer in patriotic national organizations.

To you regents of the First Thirteen States I would say you are greatly favored in representing these States which laid the foundation of material prosperity, and inspired the spiritual ideals that have developed into this mighty nation to which we Daughters of the American Revolution devote our hearts, our honor and our lives."

This was followed by the actual planting of the ivy and the memorable event came to a close.



Photo by G. V. Buck.

THE IVY PLANTERS.

## Marking the Santa Fe Trail in Missouri

(Mrs. John) Hope Casey Van Brunt, Missouri State Chairman National Old Trails Road Committee

Six years ago the Santa Fe Trail Committee was appointed by Miss Elizabeth Butler Gentry, then regent of the Kansas City Chapter, and requested to report upon the marking and re-opening of the Santa Fe Trail.

It has been six years of strenuous but most interesting work and the marking of the Trail has been the least of it.

The Santa Fe Trail Committee of the Kansas City Chapter has issued maps of the entire Trail from Franklin, Missouri, to Santa Fe, New Mexico; has secured a legislative appropriation of three thousand dollars to mark the Trail in Missouri; has been the vital force back of the preservation of the Santa Fe Trail and Boon's Lick Road as the Cross

State Highway; aroused interest in civic betterment and in local history along the road (for many of the school superintendents told us as we traveled down the Trail that we had taught the children more history in an hour than they had in a year); created a sentiment in favor of preserving the old taverns and in beautifying the roads; and foreshadowed the welding of the Trail over which the nation expanded into a great trans-continental road.

In 1912 the committee, as guests of the D. A. R. and Commercial Clubs, motored down the Trail, selecting the most historic sites for our twenty-nine monuments. New Santa Fe, Red Bridge, Hughes Bryant's Farm, Cave Spring, Aunt Sophy's Kitchen, Elm Park, Independence, Salem Church, Six Mile Church, Fort Osage, Levasy, Ish School, Wellington, Lexington, Tabo, Dover Kappleman Farm, Waverly, Grand Pass, Malta Bend, Kiser Spring, Marshall, Neff or Nave Place, Chestnut Hill, Arrow Rock, Cooper's Fort, Dr. Kingsbury's Place, Lea Farm and Franklin.

This year we set and planned a Patriotic Pilgrimage down the Trail to dedicate them.

After much study of mileage, arrangement and re-arrangement of program, of dedication ceremonies at the various places, we found that by strict adherence to schedule we could make the trip of 150 miles in four days, devoting the first two days to traveling down the Trail and dedicating the twenty-eight monuments, the third day to the dedication ceremonies at Franklin, and the fourth to the homeward journey.

Mrs. Donald McLean, Honorary President General; Mrs. George T. Guernsey,

State Regent of Kansas; Mrs. J. A. Ewing and Mrs. M. A. Johnston, representing the State regent and vice regent of Colorado; ex-Governor and Mrs. Hadley; Mrs. H. A. Owen, State historian of Missouri; Mrs. J. C. Lester, regent of the Kansas City Chapter; Mrs. Mark Salisbury, regent of the Elizabeth Benton Chapter; Mrs. Louis Hax, regent of the St. Joseph Chapter; Mrs. Ryland Todhunter, regent of the Lafayette Lexington Chapter; Mrs. J. D. Fleming, regent of the Roger Nelson Chapter; Mrs. W. B. Napton, regent of the Marshall Chapter; Miss Mary Sloan, historian and other members of the Kansas City Chapter were guests of the Santa Fe Trail Committee on this Pilgrimage. Mrs. George B. Macfarlane, State regent of Missouri, Mrs. T. R. Johnstone, regent of the Jemima Alexander Sharp Chapter and Governor Elliott W. Major met us at Boonville.

The morning of May 15th we started down the Trail. We met at Westport, the old gate to that great unknown country vaguely termed

"The West," and as I stood there in front of the oldest house in that old town, saw the motors sweep up, flags flying and filled with gay people we thought of the other parties that had passed its doors and gone out down that valley, some to come back laden with Mexican gold, some to disappear forever from the ken of men.

To us it was a pleasure trip, to them it was one of toil, of hardship, perhaps battle for life.

Opportunity and Romance still walk hand in hand down the Trail but Tragedy has vanished, for that dread scourge of the Trail—the Indian—survives only as one of the touches of picturesque interest.



MRS. JOHN VAN BRUNT,  
Chairman Santa Fe Trail Committee.

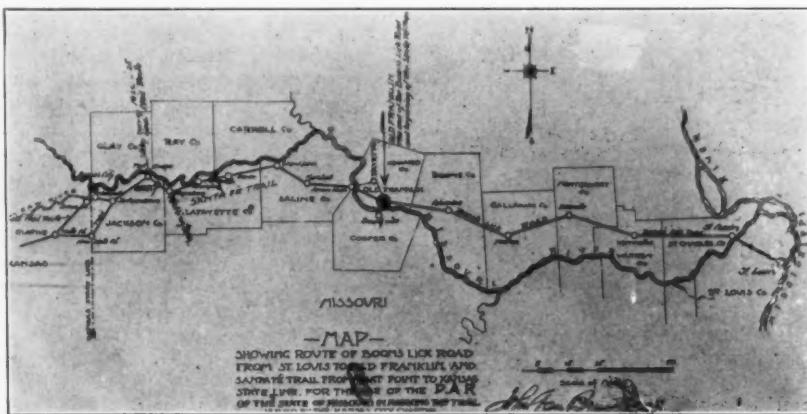
Leaving Westport we swept down the Wornall Road, past lovely Indian Creek to New Santa Fe, called by Plainsmen, "the last point between civilization and sundown." Here the Trail crawled over the Missouri line into Kansas, and as we stood here, our thoughts turned to Mrs. Fannie Geiger Thompson, her body lying at rest under the Kansas sod, but her wonderful spirit shining down the years, illuminating our work.

Mrs. J. C. Lester, regent of our chapter, and ex-Governor Hadley, dedicated this monument. He eulogized the committee for rescuing this bit of the Trail

making expedition, planted the Stars and Stripes and named the site Fort Clark; in 1808 the United States Government changed the name to Fort Osage, in recognition of the treaty made with the Osage Indians, and in 1913 the D. A. R. again flung our flag to the breeze.

This occasion was of such local importance that the Fort Osage Township celebrated with the D. A. R. pilgrims at a picnic, where speeches were made by pioneers. The monument was unveiled by children, descendants of signers of the Declaration of Independence.

At Fort Osage a welcoming delegation



MAP OF CROSS STATE HIGHWAY OF MISSOURI.

from oblivion and making it a part of the State highway, from an abandoned and almost forgotten trail of the bullwhacking days, they had re-opened it to modern travel, and revived to the public mind the fact that it was this road that had made Missouri the "Mother of Empires."

At Independence—outfitting point for the Santa Fe trade from 1827—the marker is set on the Court House Green, and many of the buildings facing that square have seen the panorama of the Trail go by.

The marker at Fort Osage stands on the edge of the bluff. That point has borne the flag of another nation, for there in 1724 De Bourgemont gaily unfurled the French flag; in 1804 Lewis and Clark camped there on that epoch-

came all the way from Wellington to meet us and escort us to their town. Dressed with flags, and band playing, Wellington welcomed us. A city park has been developed around the marker, red, white and blue flowers planted in beds. The mayor handed a box to the chairman and gallantly remarked: "I present to you—not the customary gift—the key to our city but the key to the hearts of the people of Wellington. That golden key, tied with its red, white and blue ribbon, is indeed typical of the patriotic hearts of the people of Wellington, for everything we have asked they have carried out."

We arrived at Lexington about six p. m. That evening Mrs. McLean dedicated their marker and in a brilliant speech contrasted the Minute Man of

Lexington, Massachusetts, and the Santa Fe Trader of Lexington, Missouri; the one fighting for freedom, the other fighting for the West. After an informal reception given by Mrs. Ryland Todhunter, regents, and other members of the Lafayette Lexington Chapter, we were eager to go to bed, for we had dedicated fourteen monuments and motored seventy odd miles.

Next morning—May 16th—flags flying and many extra motor cars in line, we started down the Trail toward Marshall. Members of the Roger Nelson and Marshall Chapters met us at the Saline County line and escorted us into Marshall. After luncheon our marker was dedicated. The public schools were dismissed and all the children, carrying flags, saluted Mrs. McLean and the party. Mr. G. A. Radford, President of the Commercial Club, welcomed us and paid a remarkable tribute to the patriotic work of the Santa Fe Trail Committee of the Kansas City Chapter in re-opening the Santa Fe Trail and Boon's Lick Road as the first State highway across Missouri. Mrs. J. D. Fleming and Mrs. W. B. Napton, Regents of the Roger Nelson and Marshall Chapters, received the marker for the D. A. R., Mayor Mitchell for the city. Mr. Radford then introduced Mrs. McLean, who rose to the heights of her oratorical ability.

At the close of her brilliant address she called the chairman of the committee, Mrs. Van Brunt, to her and said:

*The Roger Nelson Chapter; formed while I was President General of the D. A. R.,—has ever held a very tender place in my heart, and it is one of the pleasantest duties of my life that I have been asked by my cousin, Mrs. J. D. Fleming, regent of the Roger Nelson Chapter, and its members to present to you this cup as a token of appreciation of the valuable services you have given Marshall and the State. Members of this chapter scattered from British Columbia to Boston, Boston to the West, have linked hands, to give you this token of affection, and in their name I hand you this cup and christen you 'Madonna of the Trail'.*

Almost overcome with emotion, the



PRESENTED TO HOPE CASEY VAN BRUNT,  
*"The Madonna of the Trail,"*  
By the Roger Nelson Chapter, D. A. R., 1913.

chairman made a heartfelt but brief response of thanks for their beautiful gift.

The Arrow Rock marker revives the history of a century ago, when their ferry, which was established in 1811 crossed the Missouri River laden with the Santa Fe Traders on their way from Franklin to Santa Fe. After the stage coach vanished and the river became closed to transportation, forgotten by the railroads, roads generally impassable the little town was isolated, though only seventeen miles from the County Seat.

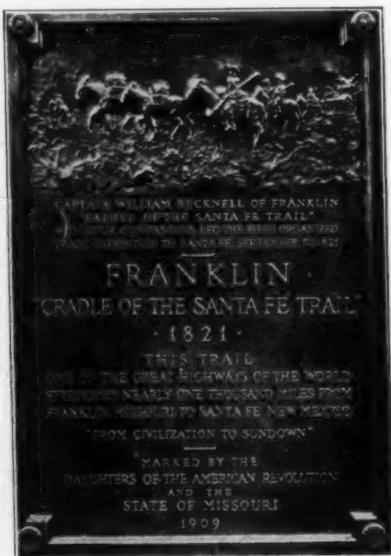
In urging that the State highway in part be located over the Santa Fe Trail the committee championed Arrow Rock and other historic towns that were on the original road.

The State highway was finally located over the actual Old Trail and now Arrow Rock with good roads to the nearby towns says: "Thanks to the Santa Fe Trail Committee, we are back on the map of the State again." When the marker there was dedicated, one speaker, alluding to the new life of Arrow Rock, said: "You have opened the book of life to us."

The second night the Pilgrims spent at Boonville, where they were charmingly entertained by Mrs. T. R. Johnston, regent, and other members of the Jemima Alexander Sharp Chapter. That day we had traveled over seventy miles and dedicated eleven markers.

Next morning, leaving Boonville, we ferried over the river to Howard County, where four markers are located. There, in the little town of Franklin, stands the granite boulder, which marks the starting point of the Santa Fe Trail. The unique history of Franklin, established in 1816 and for many years the Western frontier, was revived by the committee, and published broadcast across the State. One-third of the three thousand dollars appropriation was put into the boulder and bronze tablet, erected in honor of the men of Franklin who blazed the road 150 miles across Missouri to New Santa Fe, and on across the desolate plains—almost 1,000 miles—to old Santa Fe.

The monument—a large boulder of Missouri rose granite, 7 ft. 5 in. by 5 ft. 6 in. by 3 ft. 6 in., green with moss of the years clinging to it—bears upon its face a beautiful bronze tablet.



BRONZE TABLET AT FRANKLIN, MO.  
Marking the Starting Point of the Santa Fe Trail.

Mr. Donald Mitchell, manager of the John Williams Foundry which made the tablet, took such a special interest in the history of the Trail that he caught the spirit of the pioneers and gave us a tablet of great artistic value.

The unveiling of the monument had been made a home-coming occasion and the two thousand who greeted us were not only citizens of Franklin and residents of Howard County, but exiles from distant States. After a great basket luncheon, arranged by the women of Howard County, Governor Elliott W. Mayor presented the monument on behalf of the State, the chairman of the Santa Fe Trail committee on behalf of the Kansas City Chapter and other Missouri D. A. R. Mayor W. W. Carpenter and Miss Alice Kinney accepted the monument for Franklin.

Mrs. McLean, who had journeyed from New York especially for this occasion, made the address for the D. A. R. and with her eloquence and rare magnetism captivated the crowd.

Ending her address she called Miss Gentry, vice-chairman of the Santa Fe Trail committee, to the platform, and a gold filigree cross and necklace was clasped by Mrs. McLean and Mrs. Van Brunt about her neck.

Mrs. McLean said: *In laying upon you this symbol of the Holy Faith, we are consecrating you to greater love and service to your country. This cross, made in Santa Fé, New Mexico, and brought to Missouri over the Trail, is given—at the instance of your chairman—by the D. A. R. and the men, women and children of the Trail in Missouri, as a token of their loving appreciation of your suggestion that the Missouri part of the Sante Fé Trail be reopened and marked.*

In reply Miss Gentry said: *After helping to dedicate twenty-nine markers, I welcome consecration at the end of the journey. I feel indeed blessed by this cross of the Holy Faith, a token from my Trail friends, you honor me too much—here in this old town of Franklin, where my great grandfather helped erect log forts against the Indians in 1812 and from where he journeyed to*

*Santa Fé with a trader's caravan. From the end of the Trail comes this gift, to me at the beginning of the Trail and it is with much gratitude I accept it.*

Honorable E. W. Stephens spoke of the five forts erected by the settlers in Howard and Cole Counties during the War of 1812; Mr. R. T. Kingsbury spoke of the Pioneer families of Franklin. Many of the men who had built the forts and the women who had helped defend them were represented in the audience by their descendants.

Old citizens told us that the dedication was the biggest event recorded in the history of the town since the arrival of the steamboat Independent from St. Louis in 1819.

Howard County declared May 17th a holiday; people left their business and farms to attend the ceremonies.

Many fugitive trips had been made from Missouri to Santa Fé prior to 1821; the trip of Capt. William Beck-

nell and his four companions, led by the noted Missouri Trapper, Ezekiel Williams, and left Franklin September 21st, 1821, was the first organized and successful trip; this was epoch-making, for it brought about that vast movement that changed the whole West, a movement that swept aside a civilization that antedated ours and gave an empire to the United States.

Never was modern pageant more vivid with historical interest than the old highway of civilization's march across plain and mountain, and the shadows of the past will always line the Old Trail as the traveler journeys down it.

To travel the Trail in Missouri, one not only feels the heart beat of Missouri, but glimpses her soul as well.

The day of the Santa Fé Trail was the heroic age of the West; the story of the Santa Fé Trail is the Epic of the West.



THE MISSOURI MARKER.

## State Conference

### Georgia

With practically every chapter in the State represented by its regent and delegates, the fifteenth Conference of Georgia met in Augusta, March 26, 1913. It was a notable gathering for several reasons, one of which was the spirit of harmony and good will which pervaded all its sessions. This made it possible for the Conference to act on all motions quickly and enabled the State Regent, Mrs. Sheppard W. Foster, to handle a wonderful amount of business in the three days.

The very interesting report of the State regent showed six new chapters, making a total of fifty-one chapters in Georgia, twenty-six of these were visited

by Mrs. Foster during the year. The following recommendations were acted on at this time:

A bill offered by Mrs. A. O. Harper, chairman on Compulsory Education, "To be entitled an Act, to regulate and enforce school attendance or instruction of children of specified ages, for a minimum period, under conditions as set forth, and to provide for penalties upon parents or others violating this Act, and for other purposes."

By the State regent, "that a committee be appointed from this Society, to draft a bill to be presented to our Legislature, petitioning the General Assembly to make an appropriation for the

preservation of records found in each of the oldest counties, as they are important to complete the early history of Georgia. That a D. A. R. skilled in such work be appointed to perform this task, and the results of these transactions be turned over to the compiler of State Records.

"That being very proud of our Martha Berry School, Rabun Gap, Tallulah Falls and Mineral Bluff, but there is a great field for a similar industrial school in the southern part of the State, the State regent recommends that the D. A. R. start such a movement at an early date and let each Georgia Daughter give her support and co-operation."

The attention of the Daughters will be given to the seawall at Frederica—also the chairman of historic spots, Mrs. Chas. C. Holt, was instructed to mark spots in places where chapters do not exist.

**Mrs. W. H.**  
De Voe, of Brunswick, presented a request that the Georgia D. A. R. endorse the work of Mrs. Dodge for establishing a dormitory, to be known as the James Edward Oglethorpe Memorial School, in connection with the Dodge School on St. Simons Island. This work was endorsed and, as a Memorial to James Edward Oglethorpe, Chapters were requested to be interested in same.

The recommendation that the Georgia State Flag should float over all Court Houses when Court was in session, was

made by Miss Mildred Rutherford and was received with approval by Conference.

By unanimous consent, the rules of our Georgia D. A. R. will conform to those of the National Society and our Conference at Macon in 1914 will be held in accordance with National Rules and By-laws.

The social side of the Conference was most delightful in every way. Among the distinguished women present were Mrs. Wm. Lawson Peel, vice pres. general; Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, of Savannah; Mrs. John M. Graham, of Marietta, Wis.; James A. Rounsville, of Rome; Miss Mildred Rutherford, of Athens, Historian for the General Division U. D. C.; Mrs. John M. Slaton, of Atlanta; Mrs. T. C. Parker, of Macon, president C. A. R.

The delicious luncheons were served by the two women's organizations. The Augusta Chapter, U. D. C., and the Women's Club, of the Georgia Federation of Clubs. The harmony and good will existing between the three great organizations of women in this State has accomplished the wonderful work being done in Georgia to-day.

At the reception given at the Country Club, by Mrs. Chas. H. Uhinizy, regent of Augusta Chapter, and Mrs. Joseph B. Cummings, hon. regent, the ex-President Wm. H. Taft was an honored guest.

Meadow Garden, the home of Geo. Walton one of Signers of the Declara-



MRS. SHEPPARD W. FOSTER,  
State Regent Georgia.

tion of Independence and which is in the personal care of the Augusta Chapter was the scene of a beautiful and very interesting reception.

The officers elected to serve for the coming year are as follows, Mrs. S. W. Foster, Atlanta, State regent; Mrs. W. H. De Voe, Brunswick, 1st vice regent;

Mrs. S. M. Dean, Palmetto, 2nd vice regent; Mrs. Oscar McKenzie, Montezuma, recording secretary; Mrs. Howard McCall, Atlanta, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. N. Benton, Augusta, treasurer; Miss Ruby F. Ray, Atlanta, Historian; Mrs. Jos. S. Harrison, Columbus, editor.—*Mrs. HOWARD H. McCALL, Corresponding Secretary.*

## Work of the Chapters

**Sylvia de Grasse Chapter** (Alexandria Bay, N. Y.)—This chapter is one of the infant chapters, having been organized January 15, 1913.

On February 22, the chapter made its first bow to the public, at a reception given in the flag-draped hall of the Holland Library to prospective members. The following program was rendered: Selection from Ritual, Mrs. Martin, regent; invocation, Rev. C. F. Benjamin; vocal solo, Miss Louise Sargent; reading, Ode for Washington's Birthday, Miss Mary Collins; address, "Washington," Mr. Wells; America; benediction, Rev. C. F. Benjamin.

After the program refreshments were served, a large birthday cake decorated with thirteen American flags occupying the place of honor.

Through the efforts of the chapter, the International Peace Sunday was observed at a union service of the Methodist Episcopal, Dutch Reformed and Episcopalian congregations, held in the Dutch Reformed Church. A union choir lead the singing. A duet, "Shadows of the Evening Hour," was sung by the Misses Louise Sargent and Louise Dillon, and "Speed, our Republic," was rendered by a male quartette. Addresses touching on the Peace Movement were delivered by the Rev. Abner Felshaw, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and the Rev. C. F. Benjamin, of the Dutch Reformed Church. The service closed with the singing of America.

On Friday evening, August 8, the chapter held a reception in the hall of Holland Library in honor of the State

regent, Mrs. Willard Augsbury of Antwerp.

The receiving line, consisting of Mrs. Herbert Martin, regent of the Sylvia de Grasse Chapter, Mrs. Augsbury, Mrs. F. Howard Scott, first vice-regent of the local chapter, and Mrs. John Delany, member of the advisory board, stood before a window draped in the dark blue and white of the National Society.

Mrs. Augsbury, in her address to the chapter, spoke of the requirements for membership in the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, and of the various kinds of work done by the different chapters. The Right Rev. Rogers Israel, Bishop of Erie, in a short address, spoke of the uplifting influence the women of the organization might exert, beginning in the home and extending out in various forms of patriotic service.

In the Spring, the chapter sent in a petition asking for the establishment of a tuberculosis hospital in Jefferson County. They have recently had printed in the local paper a protest against so-called "ragging."

The standing committees of the chapter are, civic improvement and social service, press and program, patriotic services, Revolutionary relics and Soldiers' graves, and flower and visiting.—*MARION G. RUSSELL, historian.*

**Phoebe Bayard Chapter** (Greensburg, Pa.)—Flag Day was one of the pleasantest days of the year to Phoebe Bayard Chapter.

The chapter presented flags to two playgrounds. The presentation was

made by the regent and the flags accepted by the vice-president of the Playground Association in appropriate speeches. The children sang songs, gave a flag drill and the flag salute.

After these exercises the officers of the chapter received the members at the home of the vice-regent, Mrs. McCurdy, which was hospitably thrown open for the occasion and beautifully decorated with the season's flowers. One part of the decorations attracted so much attention that I should like to describe it, feeling that there are others who would like to copy it, for a similar occasion.

The Crimson Rambler is in full bloom at this time, and Mrs. Sidney Potts, member of the Flag Day Committee, had taken advantage of this and made a replica of the Daughters' Insignia by massing red rose-buds of equal size for the wheel, with white for the spokes and larger white roses for the thirteen stars, and blue iris for the distaff (all wired to a substantial circular background. She made a decorative piece which was admired both for its suitability and artistic effect.

Music and a cup of the beverage "that cheers," closed one of the happiest of Phoebe Bayard Chapter's many happy and profitable Flag Days.—MARY BRAY MITINGER, *treasurer.*

**La Crosse Chapter** (La Crosse, Wis.)—We are just closing an interesting and successful year of work. The monthly meetings have been well attended and in addition to papers on revolutionary subjects, we had addresses by prominent men on the early history of Wisconsin.

On Washington's Birthday we gave a Colonial Tea at the home of our secretary, Mrs. B. C. Smith.

Two bridge luncheons were given in the winter months and the results were gratifying for both social and financial interests.

In February we had the pleasure of having with us our State regent, Mrs. Van Ostrand. Our chapter regent, Mrs. G. W. Burton, who entertained her, gave a reception to the Daughters of the chapter where they might meet Mrs. Van Ostrand.

We meet the second Monday of each month and have nine meetings during the year. Our last meeting which occurs on Flag Day each year, is celebrated with a launch ride and picnic supper in Dresbach, Minnesota, the home of Miss Marsh.

The chapter was organized in 1896 with fifteen charter members. We now have sixty-four active members, six of them being charter members.—ELIZABETH V. LOONEY, *historian.*

**Baltimore Chapter** (Baltimore, Md.)—The Baltimore Chapter (207 members) is doing work.

It has celebrated all patriotic days and held its usual meetings.

On January 11th, the date of the 70th anniversary of the death of Francis Scott Key, the chapter erected to his memory, a handsome bronze tablet, which was placed on Mt. Vernon Place M. E. Church, to mark the site where formerly stood the home in which died the author of "The Star Spangled Banner."

On this memorable occasion, addresses were made by our former President-General, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, the Mayor of our city and others of prominence.

Many National and State Officers were present, in addition to members of patriotic societies.

The plan of placing the tablet originated with Mrs. Charles Wesley Bassett, Historian General Chairman of the Committee.

The tablet was presented and unveiled by the regent, Mrs. Arthur Lee Bosley.

On January 25th a large and successful subscription card party was held, the proceeds being used to further the chapter's patriotic work.

By negotiations, six volumes of the Maryland Archives were added to the twenty-six volumes presented to Memorial Continental Hall Library, by our former State regent, the late Mrs. J. Pembroke Thom, making the set complete to date.

A yearly exchange of our D. A. R. Lineage Books was made with the Maryland Historical Society and are now in that Library, accessible to chapter mem-

bers. The suggestion of a Marriage Record Exchange between 1777-1850 was given our Magazine, through the chapter by its Librarian, who contributed the first 100 names.

Since then, 3,000 Marriage Records have been copied and sent to the Historian-General's office, a record the chapter feels proud of. Its Educational Department the past year, has sent seven large boxes of books to towns in Maryland and Virginia, which were greatly appreciated.

The chapter urged the support of a bill in Congress to prevent desecration of our flag.

It contributed \$20 to the Patterson School for mountain boys, at Ledgewood, N. C. This was done in response to an appeal from a mountain boy educated there, who spoke to the chapter in behalf of his less fortunate friends. Later, the chapter sent a box of boys' clothing, which was gladly received. On "Maryland Day" we were honored by an address from Mr. M. I. Weller, one of the founders of the Historical Society of Washington, D. C., who spoke on a "Pioneer of Maryland."

The chapter contributed at our last Continental Congress, \$200 to Maryland Room, Continental Hall.

At this time, it donated a silk flag to the Scott Room, Granville Normal Institute, Grand View, Tenn.

In that section of the country many mountaineers have never seen our flag. The Baltimore Chapter is glad to have sent this priceless gift of the Stars and Stripes, that its influence may be felt in helping to develop loyal American citizens.

A prize of \$5 was offered through the chapter by a member, for the best essay on a selected period in Revolutionary History, by an advanced public school pupil.

The May meeting was of especial interest as the chapter entertained as honored guests our State regent and many chapter regents.

Interesting ideas were exchanged, thus closing the meetings for the season. However, upon the request of our State regent, we assembled with other chapter members in the historic burial

grounds of Old St. Paul's and Westminster Churchyards to commemorate Flag Day with impressive ceremonies.

The chapter anticipates a winter of earnest endeavor.—MAY A. BOSLEY, regent.

**Oklahoma City Chapter** (Oklahoma City, Okla.)—The year 1912-13 of the Oklahoma City Chapter has been one of interest and success under the efficient leadership of the regent, Mrs. Warren B. Watkins. Mrs. Watkins was well qualified to fill the office, having held the same position in Alabama before removing to Oklahoma City.

The special days have all been observed in a social way. The Girls' Scholarship was continued at the Martha Berry School and a bountiful box sent Christmas to the school. This box is packed December 14th, our Organization Day, a very fitting way to observe our anniversary. In March we entertained the State Conference with a noon luncheon and a Colonial Assembly at night, most of the Daughters appearing in costume.

For our monthly meetings this year the subject of study has been Generals and Battles of the American Revolution, which has been immensely interesting and we have had many fine papers, with a good attendance.

We were represented at the Continental Congress by Mrs. T. W. Williamson, delegate, and Mrs. J. W. Edwards, regent's alternate.—MARY ELLIOTT CARPENTER, *historian*.

**Pasadena Chapter** (Pasadena, California).—This chapter is in its eighth year—organized Feb., 1906, with only the required number of members of the National Society, in the home of Mrs. Burdette who was appointed regent for the first year. It has always been a very harmonious chapter; the past year having been especially marked by a full attendance of meetings, by a ready and considerate handling of any "vexed questions," and by a special growth. It now numbers about seventy, and for the present it has been decided to limit the membership to seventy-five.

For one of our delightful meetings Mrs. Lannie Haynes Martin, whom we

now call our "Chapter Poet" contributed an original poem which we sang to the tune "America."

Our chapter was well represented at the State Conference, and the Continental Congress—the delegates being our former, and present, regents—Mrs. Thayre and Mrs. Mersereau. At the State meeting our chapter had the pleasure of nominating for re-election, the vice State regent, Mrs. Maynard Force Thayre.

For the first time California had the honor of nominating pages for the Congress, and Pasadena chapter had one of the two appointed by the President General, Miss Irene Mersereau.

As she is also State Chairman of the Magazine committee she received a number of subscriptions for the Magazine—seventeen in one day being the banner record.

At our annual meeting in June, the following officers were elected: Mrs. John D. Mersereau, regent; Mrs. W. M. Ritchey, vice-regent; Mrs. S. Ives Wallace, recording secretary; Mrs. G. H. Breyer, corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. M. Hord, treasurer; Mrs. George Curtis, registrar; Mrs. Nora Willett Spooner, historian.

Interesting reports were read by the officers. The historian instituted a new departure by including in her report sketches of the Revolutionary history of the ancestors of some of our members.

Some plans for Exposition year—1915—were discussed and a small fund placed in a savings bank as a "nest egg" for possible use at that time.

This was followed by a handsomely appointed luncheon in the grill-room of the Hotel Maryland, of which Mrs. Ritchey was chairman of arrangements and toastmistress, filling her position ideally.

There were "greetings" from Mrs. Thayre, clearly read by our former vice regent, Mrs. Jones—a fine, pointed, newsy account of many interesting events, giving a peep into the politics of the Continental Congress.

Mrs. Mersereau, followed with a clever, vivid picture of the social side of the Congress, telling of amusing situations that arose from the rush of the Washington social whirl—of the old-time hos-

pitality and the progressive thought of our National Capital. She also showed us beautiful photographs of Continental Hall and many of its rooms.

Some others taking part were Mrs. Stilson, our former State regent—and Mrs. Wallace our very efficient recording secretary, also Miss Mersereau.—*MRS. NORA WILLETT SPOONER, historian.*

**Lagonda Chapter** (Springfield, Clark County, Ohio).—Flag Day, June 14, 1913, was chosen by Lagonda Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, as an appropriate day on which to pay tribute to twenty-two men who fought more than a century ago for the independence of our country.

These men lie buried in Clark County, and in their memory, with fitting ceremonies, a monument was unveiled in beautiful Ferncliff cemetery. This monument is a large grey granite boulder which was quarried in Vermont. On one side is a bronze tablet bearing the names of the soldiers, also the following inscription: "In memory of the men buried in Clark County who fought in the American Revolution."

Besides the members of the chapter, there gathered for the ceremonies, a number of others, many of whom were members of patriotic societies.

After several opening selections by the band and invocation, the address of the afternoon was made by J. Frank McGrew. In this address, which was full of patriotism, he spoke of the significance of the efforts to perpetuate the memory of the soldiers who long ago passed to their reward. He referred to the thought which Lincoln expressed in his famous address at Gettysburg, to the effect that although the world might soon forget what was said at the unveiling of the monument at Gettysburg, the deeds performed on the battlefield would always be remembered. In like manner, the speaker believed the words spoken at the unveiling of this monument might be forgotten, but he hoped the monument itself would stand many years in commemoration of the dead heroes, these heroes who did not command or wear the shoulder straps, but were, as Lincoln would call them, "God's common people." He gave a brief history

of the opening scenes of the Revolution, and the famous ride of Paul Revere, and described the tablet and boulder in memory of those who gave their lives in the Battle of Lexington.

The formal presentation of the boulder and tablet to Ferneliff cemetery was made by Miss Anna Hollenbeck, regent of the chapter, who at the same time gave a brief history of the D. A. R. and the object of its formation, also of its work in erecting monuments, markers and memorials to the Revolutionary soldiers, conducting historical research work and fostering true patriotism. She expressed a hope that passers-by would pause and read the inscription of the tablet and pay, in thought, a tribute to those whom it honors, and that the monument would stand as a reminder to this generation and many following ones, of the brave men who fought for the freedom of our country.

After the regent's presentation, Miss Nora Anderson and Miss Marcelene Fairbanks unveiled the monument by removing a large American flag which had covered it; —the band playing "America." Standing, the audience sang this hymn, taps were sounded on the cornet and the ceremonies were over.—ADELLA HALSEY, historian.

**Tuscarora Chapter** (Binghamton, N. Y.)—Tuscarora chapter celebrated Bunker Hill Day, June 17th, by unveiling a boulder with tablet in the First Presbyterian Church yard at Union, N. Y. This boulder is one of a series marking Gen. Sullivan's expedition through New York State. Previous to the unveiling exercises the members of Tuscarora chapter and invited guests took luncheon at the Fowler Tea Garden. The exercises at Union began at three o'clock, a large number of people from Binghamton and surrounding towns had gathered to witness the ceremonies. An interesting program was given in the church, consisting of an address of welcome by Mrs. Gilbert E. Rodgers, former regent of the chapter, response by Mrs. Willard T. Augsbury, state regent, singing of "The Sword of Bunker Hill," by Mr. C. Fred Hess, address and original poem

by Hon. Chas. M. Dickinson, former Consul General at Constantinople. Presentation of boulder to the village of Union by Mrs. C. Fred Hess, regent of Tuscarora chapter, and acceptance of boulder on behalf of president and trustees of Union by Rev. C. L. Luther. The school children under direction of Miss Yergin assembled on the church porch and sang "The Star Spangled Banner." Just as the flags concealing the boulder were drawn aside by two children of Revolutionary ancestry, a salute was fired by soldiers of Battery C, a detachment of which were present with Gen. C. H. Hitchcock and Capts. Seymour, Yeomans and Merselis, and orderlies. The inscription on the bronze tablet reads as follows: "Near this spot occurred the union of General Sullivan's forces in the American Revolution under Clinton and Poor, August 19, 1779. Erected by Tuscarora chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, June 17, 1913."

Among the guests present were Mrs. Willard T. Augsbury, of Antwerp, N. Y., state regent; Mrs. George Bishop, of Athens, Pa., regent of Tioga Point chapter; Mrs. Blakely, regent of Oneonta chapter, and Mrs. George Hubbard, of Tioughnioga chapter of Cortlandt, N. Y.—MINNIE E. WOODBRIDGE, historian.

**Elizabeth Marshal Martin Chapter** (Trenton, Tenn.)—The Elizabeth Marshal Martin Chapter held its first anniversary meeting at the home of Miss Elizabeth Wilson, Aug. 29th. Our membership is small, as we have only sixteen names enrolled, but we have the promise of a number of new members for the coming year. Our meetings during our first year were interesting and profitable and were well attended. Our next year's study course will be "The Early Colonial Times." We have offered a medal to the student of U. S. History who makes the highest grade in the public schools, and we hope to accomplish something in the way of hunting up the graves of Revolutionary soldiers in this section and seeing that they are marked. The success of our organization has been largely due to our regent, Mrs. Quinlin Rankin.—MISS MARY DAVIDSON, secretary.

# GENEALOGICAL DEPARTMENT

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## NOTICE

*Owing to the pressure upon the magazine authorities for more space for other departments, the Genealogical Department was cut from fifteen to eleven pages in the last issue; and hereafter (unless vigorous protests from the subscribers are made) will contain only eight pages. As the Rowan Co., N. C., Marriage Bonds beginning with the letter "F" promised for the last issue, and the S. C. Rev. Soldiers through the letter "C" had already been set up before the Genealogical Editor knew of the change of space allowed, they will be printed in this and the December issues; the December number will also contain as many Answers as the space will permit; and if possible, those queries sent to the Editor and prepared for the printer before the first of last September will appear in the January issue; if not, they will be printed in February. In order to aid as far as possible each person whose query has already been printed, each answer will be copied as soon as received and sent to the person sending the query, until after the February issue appears. If anyone feels regret that the space for the Genealogical Department has been curtailed, she should let it be known. The Chairman of the Magazine Committee is desirous to make the magazine attractive to the greatest number of subscribers, and must be guided by the information she receives.*

*Gen. Ed.*

### NORTH CAROLINA.

#### ROWAN COUNTY MARRIAGE BONDS.

(These bonds, beginning 1762, and extending to 1799, are arranged alphabetically according to the man's name. They have been copied and carefully compared by Mrs. McCubbin, the wife of the Register of Wills for Rowan County. The orthography has been strictly followed in every instance, although some of the peculiarities are undoubtedly caused by the carelessness of the clerks who transcribed the bonds. Continued from September issue.)

1762—Jan. 19—FREEMAN, ISAAC to Agnes Faggott. Surety: John Johnston and Henry Horah. Teste: Will Reed and John Frohock.

1766—Feb. 12—FELPS, JOHN to Mary Williams. Surety: John Felps, Sam Williams (by mark) and Ambrose Hudgins. Teste: Thomas Frohock.

1767—Oct. 13—FLEMING, JOHN to Elizabeth Fleming. Surety: John Fleming, John Oliphant and James Patterson. Teste: Thos. Frohock.

(Note of consent of bride's mother, Elizabeth Fleming, by mark, dated Oct. 13, 1767.)

1768—March 20—FOSTER, JOHN to Martha Morrison. Surety: John Foster, John Mitchell and Patrick Morrison. Teste: (no name).

1768—April 20—FELPS, WILLIAM to Elizth. Jones. Surety: Willi Felps and Mark Whiteaker. Teste: Thomas Frohock. (Note from bride's father, Samuel Jones.)

1768—May 2—FRARLEY, JACOB to Kathrene Charles. Surety: Danl. Little and two others, in German. Teste: No name.

1768—June 4—FRANK, JACOB to Susanna Roan. Surety: Jacob Frank (in German) and Adam Roan, by mark. Teste: John Frohock.

1769—August 31—FONTS, JOHN to Mary Younce. Surety: John Fonts (or Fouts) by mark, and Danl. Little. Teste: Thomas Frohock.

1768—Sept. 8—FISHER, JACOB to Christian Crossmon. Surety: Jacob Fisher (in German), Adam Walcher and Jacob Berry (his mark). Teste: Thomas Frohock. Frederick Fisher's name is on front of bond.

1769—Oct. 6—FEZER (or FIZER), PETER to Mary Fry. Surety: Peter Fezer (his mark), Vallentine Fry (in German) and John Frohock. Teste: Thomas Frohock.

1769—Dec. 5—FROST, EBENEZER to Sarah Fairchild. Surety: Ebenezer Frost, Jonathan Boone and Danl. Little. Teste: Thomas Frohock.

(North Colinh Roan County In the Year of our Lord, 1769. December the 3 day pleas to grant Ebenezer Frost hisens to mary sarah Fair Child and in soldoing you will a blige your friend Ebenezer fairChld.)

1769—Dec. 17—FREEMAN, AARON to Mary Bently. Surety: aron freeman and Benjamin Bentley (by mark). Teste: Thomas Frohock. (A note from bride's father, Thos. Bentley, dated Dec. 17, 1769, saying that his son might sign the bond. Note is witnessed by Benjamin Bentley (his mark) and James Freeman (his mark).)

1772—June 2—FAWLS, JOHN to Rachal Clayton. Surety: John Faws and George \_\_\_\_ (?). Teste: Thomas Frohock.

1772—Oct. 6—FINNEY, JOHN to Rachel Ashly. Surety: John Finney and Andrew Tresler. Teste: Max Chambers.

1772—March 14—CONRAD (?), FROCK to \_\_\_\_ Lemley. Surety: Both in German, seem to be Conrad Frock and \_\_\_\_ Killiam. Teste: John Frohock.

1773—Jan. 14—FARR, JOHN to Elizabeth Woodside. Surety: John Farr and William Ross. Teste: Max Chambers.

1773—Feb. 27—FOSTER, DAVID to Mary Cowan. Surety: David Foster and John Cowan. Teste: Max Chambers.

1774—Nov. 1—FORD, PETER to Sarah Baldwin. Surety: Peter Ford and John Baldwin. Teste: Ad. Osborn. (Note of consent from bride's father, Jno. Baldwin, dated Oct. 29, 1774.)

1775—June 2—FRY, PETER to Marilisey (?) Cottner. Surety: Peter Fry and Jacob Cutner (both in German). Teste: Ad. Osborn. (Note of consent from bride's father, Jacob \_\_\_\_ ?)

1775—July 24—FRAZEY, AARON to Hannah Hobbs. Surety: Aaron Frazeay (by mark), John Conger and John Davis. Teste: David Flowers.

1775—Nov. 2—FROST, EBENEZER to Elizth. Willson. Surety: Ebenezer Frost and William Vanclevee. Teste: Ad. Osborn.

1776—March 25—FINNEY, JAMES to Mary McCuone. Surety: James Finney (by mark) and John Buntin. Teste: Ad. Osborn.

1776—March 30—FERGUSON, THOMAS to Sarah McDowell. Surety: Thomas ferguson and Robert McBride. Teste: Ad. Osborn. (Note of consent from bride's father, William McDowell, dated Aprill 30, 1776.)

1778—July 22—FORGUS, SAMUEL to Martha Campbell. Surety: Samuel Forgus (by mark) and John Campbell. Teste: Spruce Macay.

1778—Nov. 20—FISHER, MICHAEL to Christian Aronhart. Surety: Michael Fisher (in German) and John Aronhart, his mark. Teste: Jno. Macay.

1779—Feb. 13—FORBIS, WILLIAM to Margaret Bryan. Surety: William Forbis, Charles Dunn and Archebald Kerr. Teste: Wm. R. Davie.

1779—March 10—FORBIS, JAMES to Phebe Bryan. Surety: James Forbis and George Bryan. Teste: Ad. Osborn.

1779—Aug. 2—FOSTER, WILLIAM to Agness Allen. Surety: William Foster and Hugh Allen. Teste: Jo. Brevard.

1779—Oct. 23—FEE, JOHN to Parthena Kelton. Surety: John fee and Mary Whiteaker. Teste: Jo. Brevard.

1779—Nov. 23—FRY, JOHN (planter) to Christina Muller (spinster). Surety: John Fry, by mark, Michael Waller (planter) and Christopher Sybrey (?). Teste: No name.

1780—Jan. 3—FRITZ, GEORGE to Mary Wilson. Surety: George Fritz by mark and Rowland Jenkins. Teste: Jno. Kerr.

1780—March 4—FROSTER (?), DAVID to Elizabeth Roseborough (widow). Surety: David Troster and John Luckie. Teste: No name.

1780—May 15—FRAZER, JOHN CAMPBELL to Elizabeth Lufkin. Surety: John Campbell Fraser and Daniel Clary (?). Teste: No name.

1782—Nov. 4—FOSTER, JOHN to Hannah Huggett. Surety: John Foster and Jno. Baker (both by mark).

1783—May 29—FREEMSTER, WILLIAM to Mary Sharpe. Surety: William Feemster and John Wallace. Teste: — McCaul (?).

1783—June 2—FORD, WYATT to Betsy person. Surety: Wyatt Foud and John Barby (by mark). Teste: No name.

1783—Aug. 4—FURR, JOHN to Catherin Lively. Surety: John Furr (in German) and Daniel Little. Teste: John McNairy.

1783—Aug. 20—FULLINWID, HENRY to Ellenor Leonard. Surety: Henry Fullenwider (in German) and John Fulenwid. Teste: William Crawford. (Spelled Fullinwider on front of bond.)

1784—Aug. 1—FLEMING, HENRY to Margaret Ray. Surety: Henry Fleming and Andw. Kennedy. Teste: No name.

1784—Oct. 7—FLEMMING, JOHN to Ann Bareckley. Surety: John Fleming and Andw. Kennedy. Teste: No name.

1784 (or 5)—Jan. 24—FLEMING, JAMES to Elisabeth Mitchell. Surety: James Fleming and Elijah Mitchel. Teste: \_\_\_\_\_ Caule (?). (Alexander Martin is Gov. The year is probably 1785.)

1785—May 9—FREZE, JOHN to Mary Freze. Surety: John Freze, by mark. Teste: Hu. Magoune.

1785—June 6—FRASER, JAMES to Honnour Seratt. Surety: James Fraser and Darbey Henley. Teste: Hu. Magoune.

1785—Aug. 10—FULTS, PETER to Cathrine Wechmon. Surety: Peter Fulta (in German), Peter Fry and Geo. Hartmon (by mark).

1785—Oct. 1—FAGENWINTER, CHRISTOPHER to Barbara Faw (or Fane ?). Surety: Christopher Fagenwinter (in German) and John Fischer. Teste: Max. Chambers.

1785—Dec. 28—FOSTER, JAMES to Elys Smith. Surety: James foster and Peter Coleman. Teste: W. W. Erwin.

1786—March 13—FALLS, WILLIAM to Mary Simonton. Surety: William Fall and Theophilis Simonton. Teste: No name.

1786—April 21—FELPS, AVENTON to Sarah Harris. Surety: Aventon Felps and John Arwood (by mark). Teste: John Macay.

1786—Dec. 4—FIFER, GEORGE to Elizabeth Frank. Surety: George Fifer (in German) and Henry frerrer (?). Teste: Jno. Mackay.

1787—April 3—FITZPATRICK, JOHN to Mable Yuston (Guston ?). Surety: John Fitzpatrick (in German) and The. Hannon. Teste: Jno. Macay.

1787—Aug. 18—FREEZER, GEORGE to Christina Smith. Surety: Frederick Smith. Teste: Jno. Macay.

1788—Feb. 14—FIGHT, CONRAD to Elizabeth Brown. Surety: Conrad Fight and Peter Fight (both by mark). Teste: Samuel Carter.

1789—Aug. 25—FERGUSON, JOHN to Elizabeth Hamelton. Surety: John ferguson and William Nereens (Nevens?). Teste: Will Alexander.

1789—Nov. 4—FINTON, JOHN to Elizabeth Coon. Surety: John Finton (in German) and Peter Wood (his mark). Teste: Ed. Harris.

1790—March 16—FISHER, GEORGE to Catharine Fisher. Surety: George Fisher (in German) and Osmis (?) Pennington. Teste: Ed. Harris.

1790—May 4—FINK, JOHN to Mary Goodman. Surety: John Fink (in German) and Michael Goodman of Mecklenburg Co. (by mark). Teste: C. Caldwell D.C.

1790—Aug. 12—FORROR, TOBIAS to Barbara Smith. Surety: Tobias Forror and Henry Sleighter. Teste: C. Caldwell D.C.

1790—Aug. 17—FOLTS, HENRY to Elizabeth Smith. Surety: Henry Folts (by mark) and Adam Shrode. Teste: C. Caldwell D.C.

1790—Oct. 23—FISHER, GEORGE to Cartroit Lawmon (?). Surety: George Fisher (in German) and Jacob Fisher. Teste: C. Caldwell D.C.

1791—Jan. 17—FARRELL, JOHN to Catharine Goodman. Surety: John Farrell and Sam Graham. Teste: C. Caldwell D.C.

1791—May 11—FERGUSON, ANDREW to Elizabeth Mefarland. Surety: Andrew Ferguson (by mark) and Thomas Folly (in German). Teste: C. Caldwell D.C.

1791—June 4—FORD, WILLIAM to Emma Hunt. Surety: William Ford and Arthur hunt. Teste: Charles Caldwell, D.C.

1791—July 11—PHYTE, PETER to Barbara Hellinger. Surety: Peter Phyte (by mark) and Martin Basinger. Teste: C. Caldwell D.C.

1791—Oct. 14—FELPS, SAMUEL to Polly Harper. Surety: Samuel Felps and George Laumann. Teste: C. Caldwell D.C. for Ad. Osborn, C.C.

1791—Nov. 21—FERGUSON, PAUL to Catherine Graham. Surety: Paul Ferguson and John Graham. Teste: Chas. Caldwell.

1792—April 20—FELPS, THOMAS to Hanna Aldridge. Surety: Felps and Norman Owens (by mark). Teste: Chas. Caldwell.

1792—April 20—FOIL, PHILIP to Elizabeth Benson. Surety: Philip Foil and John Fisher (both in German). Teste: Chas. Caldwell.

1792—May 8—FREEZE, JACOB to Catharine Lughler (Seighler?). Surety: Jacob Freeze (in German) and Elizabeth Freeze (by mark). Teste: Chas. Caldwell.

1793—Jan. 30—FISHER, FREDERICK to Barbara Tarr. Surety: Friederick Fisher and Barbara Krider (?) (in German). Teste: Jos. Chambers.

1793—Feb. 25—FISHER, JACOB to Jane Sloane. Surety: Jacob Fisher and James hill. Teste: No name.

1793—July 22—FRAILEY, JACOB to Elizabeth Brown (or Brour). Surety: Jacob Frailey and Phillip Brown (or Brour) (both by mark). Teste: Jos. Chambers.

1793—Aug. 21—FROST, JOHN to Rebeeca Boo. Surety: John Frost and John Wilson. Teste: Jos. Chambers.

1794—Jan. 17—FOREMAN, JOHN to Milly Hendricks. Surety: John Hendricks. Teste: No name.

1794—Jan. 27—FLEMING, MITCHEL to Agness Kennedy. Surety: Mitchel fleming and Andw. Kennedy. Teste: —— McCaule.

1794—June 11—FRAZER, PETER to Sarah Cowan. Surety: Peter Frazer (by mark) and Henry Giles. Teste: I. Troy D.C.

1794—Aug. 16—FRICK, MATTHIAS to Rachael Caler. Surety: Matthias Frick and Leonard Kaler (both by mark). Teste: I. Troy D.C.

1794—Nov. 2—FRISBEY, JONAH to Elizabeth Imbler. Surety: Jonah Frisbuy (by mark) and Peter A. Gibbons. Teste: No name.

1794—Dec. 1—FOLICK, JOHN to Hannah Colp. Surety: John Folick and John Goodman (both in German). Teste: I. Troy D.C.

1795—Jan. 27—FOSTER, DAVID to Ann Kilpatrick. Surety: David Foster and Wm. Kilpatrick. Teste: No name.

1795—Aug. 28—FOSTER, SAMUEL to Dinah Short. Surety: Samuel forster and John Todd. Teste: No name.

1796—April 12—FROST, EBENEZER to Rebecca Bailey. Surety: Ebenezer frost and Brit Bayliss. Teste: Tibby Troy.

1796—May 9—FULLENWIDER, JOHN to Mary Fullenwider. Surety: John Fullenwider and Jacob Miller (by mark). Teste: I. Troy D.C.

1796—May 13—FREEZE, JNO. Jr. to Barbara Seichler. Surety: Jno. Freeze, Jr. (in German) and John Freeze, Sr. (by mark). Teste: I. Troy.

1796—June 15—FRAILEY, GEORGE to Margaret Agenor. Surety: George Frailey and Henry Agenor (both in German). Teste: I. Troy.

1796—Sept. 1—FREEMAN, RUSSEL to Celia Good. Surety: Russel Freeman and Moses Reed (by mark). Teste: Jno. Rogers.

1796—Nov. 12—FRANK, WILLIAM to Barbara Byerly. Surety: William Frank (in German) and Jonathan Walk (Work in front of bond). Teste: Jno. Rogers.

1797—Jan. 4—FINCHER, JONATHAN to Betsy Pitman. Surety: Jonathan fincher and Jese Pitman. Teste: Jno. Rogers.

1797—March 3—FOSTER, JOHN to Joanna Bailey. Surety: John foster and William Garwood. Teste: McRogers.

1797—Oct. 24—FILE, JACOB to Betsey Boger. Surety: Jacob foil and Daniel Boger. Teste: McRogers.

1797—Dec. 6—FILE, HENRY to Peggy Reap. Henry foil and Thomas Goodman (in German). Teste: McRogers.

1798—June 6—FOSTER, EDESON to Barbara Wasson. Surety: Edeson foster and Wm. Wasson. Teste: Ma Troy.

1798—June 13—FISHER, JOHN to Lisssey Seafard. Surety: John Fisher and Hannan Fisher (both in German). Teste: Ma Troy.

1798—June 29—FISHER, RISDON to Presylla Buckner. Surety: Risdon Fisher and Dilly Walliams (Williams†). Teste: Ma Troy.  
(In some bonds found later occur the following beginning with the letter "F".)

1798 (or 1766)—July 2—FULKERSON, ABRAHAM to Sarah Gibson. Surety: Abraham Fulkerson, George Gibson and Wilson (?) Rebson (?). Teste: Chris. Gottb. Reuter and Jacob Laesch.

No date—FRISSEY, JOHN to Elizabeth Hunt. Surety: John Frissey and David Hunt. Teste: No name. (Alexander Martin is Governor.)

177—May 29—FORSTER, JOSEPH to Martha McConnel. Surety: Joseph Forster and Joseph McConchie. (Before independence.) Teste: David Flowers.

FULTON, JOHN—(This is all. No name of wife nor date.)

No date—FURR, HENRY to Catharine Wysell. Surety: Henry Furr and Conrad Brem. Teste: Max Chambers.  
(Alexander Martin was Governor.)

No date—FRANK, JOHN to Barbara Lopp. Surety: John Frank (in German) and Martin Frank (his mark). Teste: Max Chambers. (Alexander Martin is Governor.)

### South Carolina Revolutionary Soldiers.

(Copied and arranged by Mrs. Amos G. Draper,  
Genealogical Editor. Continued from  
October number.)

BRYANT, RICHARD; for supplies for militia use in 1780-81-82, 20 pounds, 9 shillings.

BRYANT, ROBERT; Lieut., Col. Anderson's return.

BRYANT, WILLIAM; militia duty as private and Lieut. after fall of Charleston, 26 pounds, 14 shillings.

BRYANT, WILLIAM; militia duty as private after fall of Charleston, 5 pounds, 18 shillings.

BRYCE, SAMUEL; militia duty in Roebuck's regt. after fall of Charleston, 50 pounds, 2 shillings.

BUCHANAN, WM.; militia duty after fall of Charleston, Capt. David Shaw's Co.

BUCHANER; DAVID; private, Col. Anderson's return after fall of Charleston.

BUCHANAN, (Buckhannon), GEORGE; in Waters' regt. after fall of Charleston.

BUCHANAN, JAMES; 225 days on horseback and 11 days on foot, from July, 1779 to May, 1783, 33 pounds, 14 shillings, 3 pence.

BUCHANAN, (Buckhannon), JAMES; adjt.

in Waters' regt. after fall of Charleston, 11 pounds, 11 shillings, and 6 pence; also 170 days from May, 1781 to April, 1783.

BUCHANAN, JOHN; in Waters' regt. after fall of Charleston, 3 pounds; also 208 days militia duty as horseman and 44 days sergt. from July, 1779 to May, 1783, 36 pounds, 14 shillings and 8 pence.

BUCHANAN, JOHN (Dr.); surgeon in Hor-ry's regt.

BUCHANAN, ROBT.; 25 days as sergt. of foot, from Jan. 20, to Feb., 1779; also 21 days from Feb. 13, to March 6, 1779, in Capt. John Hampton's Co.

BUCHANAN, THOS.; 346 days in militia from May 1, 1781 to Jan. 1, 1782, 35 pounds, 2 shillings.

BUCHANAN, WM.; 824 days militia duty on horseback, from July, 1779 to May, 1783, 120 pounds, 18 shillings, 6 pence.

BUCKHALTER, CHRISTOPHER; for pro-visions furnished militia in 1781.

BUCKHALTER, WM.; private in militia after fall of Charleston.

BUCKNER, BARNARD; 240 days duty as horseman in militia in 1780 and 1781.

BUCKSTANER, DANIEL; private in militia before fall of Charleston.

BUDD, JOHN, (Dr.); surgeon to Dorrell's Co.

BUDWORTH, BENJAMIN; on board the "Hibernia" as flagmaster to negotiate an exchange of prisoners in Charleston in Dec., 1782.

BUFFINGTON, JOSEPH; Roebuck's regt. and for supplies furnished to Col. Woffard's fort in 1776.

BUFORD, WM.; Maj. in Col. Hill's regt. of dragoons.

BUIS, ABRAHAM; private in Capt. Mapp's Co., Roebuck's regt. in 1782.

BUISE, JOHN; private in Roebuck's regt. after fall of Charleston.

BUISE, WILLIAM; 169 days as Lieut. of horse in Capt. McBee's Co., Roebuck's regt. in 1781.

BULLIAN, \_\_\_\_; service on frigate S. C.

BULLOCK, DANIEL; private in militia after fall of Charleston.

BULLOCK, ZACHRIAH; Capt. and Maj. service from 1778 to 1782, Roebuck's regt.

BUNDERICK, CHARLES; militia duty in Waters' regt. after fall of Charleston.

BUNSTRICK, CHARLES; militia duty after fall of Charleston in Waters' regt.

BURCHFIELD, ADAM; private in Capt. McBee's Co., Roebuck's regt.

BURCHFIELD, JAMES; Sergt. 53 days in Capt. Mapp's Co., Roebuck's regt.

BURDELL, ROBT.; 16 days militia duty in 1782.

BURDETT, WILLIAM; 101 days militia duty on horseback in Capt. John Wilson's Co., in 1779.

BURDIT, FREDERICK; militia duty before fall of Charleston.

BURGESS, JOEL; Lieut. in Indian expedition Feb., 1781, and also services after fall of Charleston.

BURGESS, JOSEPH; 340 days duty as private in 1781 and 1783.

BURGESS, RICHARD; private in Brandon's regt. after fall of Charleston; also 331 days duty as Lieut. of horse, under Capt. Wm. Young, Brandon's regt., from Dec., 1780 to May, 1783.

BURGSTINER, DANIEL; private of horse 1781.

BURK, ABSALOM; private in first S. C. Continental regt.

BURKE, DAVID; private in militia after fall of Charleston.

BURKE, EDAMUS; Capt. 1780-82.

BURKE, THOMAS; private and sergt., before fall of Charleston.

BURKETT, \_\_\_\_; 75 days in militia in 1782; also 30 days as private in Col. Benton's regt. in 1781, Marion's brigade.

BURKETT, JOHN; 58 days as private in Gen. Marion's brigade in 1781.

BURKETT, THOMAS; two days under Lieut. Jacob Buxton.

BURKETT, SAM; 30 days as private in Col. Benton's regt., Marion brigade in 1781.

BURNETT, \_\_\_\_; (Dr.), hospital service in 1781.

BURNETT, BENJAMINE; 235 days in militia in 1779 and 1780.

BURNETT, JOHN; receipt for blank to make spear handles.

BURNS, JAMES; private in Capt. McClure's Co. and in Capt. Hugh Knox's Co. in 1780.

BURNS, JOHN; private in Capt. Tutt's independent Co. in 1779 and 1780.

BURNS, LAIRD; private in Capt. Robert Thompson's Co. in 1780, in Capt. Garrison's Co. in 1781.

BURNS, ROBERT; private in militia after fall of hCharleston.

BURNSIDE, \_\_\_\_; private in militia after fall of Charleston.

BURNSIDE, WILLIAM; private in militia after fall of Charleston.

BURRIS, SAM; 87 days as private in militia in 1782.

BURROWS, SAMUEL; 90 days in militia from Nov. 1, 1780 to May 1, 1781; also 31 days 1782 ("both tours in Gen. Marion's brigade.")

BURROWS, WILLIAM; 212 days duty in the Pee Dee regt. commanded by Col. Jacob Baxter from Dec. 1, 1780 to July, 1781.

BURTON, ROBERT; private in militia after fall of Charleston.

BURYHILL, ALEX.; Capt. Martin's Co., Sumter's brigade.

BUSBY, JOHN; militia duty as private on foot, from June 20 to Dec. 1, 1781.

BUSBY, JOHN; service in 1781.

BUSBY, NILES; service in 1781 and 1782.

BUSH, ABRAHAM; Sergt. Major under Col. Richard Hampton in the Orangeburg regt. in 1781, afterwards promoted to adjt.

BUSH, DANIEL; 15 days duty as footman under Lieut. George Storey, in 1778, 80 days as footman in 1779 and 1780; 18 days as horseman in 1781, and 213 days as horseman from May, 1781 to Oct., 1782, under Capt. James Crawford.

BUSH, ISAAC, Jr.; 163 days militia duty in 1781.

BUSH, JASPER; 30 days duty as private in militia in 1782.

BUSH, JOHN; 220 days militia duty in 1781; also service previous to fall of Charleston.

BUSH, JOHN; Lieut. in Second S. C. Continental regt.; killed on lines at Savannah Oct. 9, 1779.

BUSH, STEPHEN; private horseman in 1781.

BUSHOP, ABRAHAM; private horseman in Capt. Parson's Co., Col. Roebuck's regt.; 269 days duty from June 15, 1780, to 11, 1781.

BUSHOP, EDMUND, 30 days as Lieut. of militia in 1783, under command of Col. John Thomas.

BUSHOP, GEORGE; 42 days as sergt. of militia in 1782-83.

BUSHOP, HENRY; 34 days militia duty in 1782.

BUSHOP, JOHN; 279 days militia duty as horseman from June 5, 1780 to March 11, 1781 in Capt. Parson's Co., Roebuck's regt.

BUSSY, BENJAMINE; Roebuck's regt.

BUSSY, MEIDAM; militia duty as private after fall of Charleston in Col. Waters' regt.

BUSSY, SHERARD; militia duty as private after fall of Charleston in Col. Waters' regt.

BUSSY, THOMAS; militia duty as private previous to fall of Charleston.

BUSSY, ZADDOCK; militia duty as private before the fall of Charleston and after.

BUTLER, —; militia duty on horseback as Lieut. from Sept. 19 to Oct. 27, 1779, 12 pounds, 10 shillings.

BUTLER, HENRY; for forage and provisions for Continental and militia use in 1781 and 1782, 8 pounds, 1 shilling.

BUTLER, JAMES, Sr.; killed by Cunningham. Capt. in militia before and after fall of Charleston.

BUTLER, JOHN; private in militia after fall of Charleston in Roebuck's regt.

BUTLER, PIERCE; for sundries for Continental and militia use in 1781-82-83, 267 pounds, 6 shillings, 3 pence.

BUTLER, THOMAS; Sergt. in militia before fall of Charleston and after.

BUTLER, WILLIAM; Lieut. and Capt. in militia before and after fall of Charleston, 222 pounds, 15 shillings, 8 pence, 1-2 penny.

BUXTON, BENJAMIN; 114 days as private in militia, under Lieut. Jacob Buxton.

BUXTON, JACOB; 337 days as Lieut. of foot in militia, 84 pounds, 5 shillings.

BUXTON, SAMUEL; 114 days as private in militia from June 8, to Oct. 1, 1781.

BYERLEY, ADAM; 100 days as private in militia and 30 days as sergt. in 1781 and 1782.

BYERS, SAMUEL; private in militia under Lieut. James Martin's command 1779, and under Capt. John Peters, 1781.

BYERS, WILLIAM; 54 days as Capt. of militia at 70 shillings a day.

CAFFEY, (or Coffey), Henry; (captain) lieutenant at Jacksonborough in '79; under Maj. Robt. Crawford at Hanging Rock; commissary under Col. Davis; captain under Sumter.

CAIN, ABNER.

CAIN, JAMES; sergeant; dead at close of Revolution.

CAIN, JAMES; Capt. John Cowan's Co.

CAIN, JOHN; Capt. Joseph Hughes' Co., Brandon's regt., June 25, '81, to Sept. 16, '82.

CAIN, MICHAEL; Capt. Wm. Baskin's Co.

CAIN, RICHARD.

CAINE, JOHN; given five years' pay in lieu of half pay for life by State; under Capt. Wm. McCullough, Col. Neel; lieutenant.

CAINE, PATRICK.

CAINS, JOHN; dead at close of Revolution.

CALCOT, JOHN; (of Georgetown); served under Marion.

CALDER, ROBERT; under Capts. John Cowan and James Bouchillon.

CALDWELL, DAVID; Capt. Norwood, Pickens' brigade.

CALDWELL, JAMES; (dead at close of Revolution) "S. C. independent Co."

CALDWELL, JAMES; sergeant, Col. Thomson's regt.

CALDWELL, JAMES; captain, Pickens' brigade; from April 12, '81, to Dec. 6, 1782, in Capt. John Norwood's Co.; also as captain; also service as lieutenant and private in '80-81.

CALDWELL, JOHN; Third S. C. Continental regt.

CALDWELL, JOHN; (Dr.) physician attending militia.

CALDWELL, JOSEPH; Waters' regt.

CALDWELL, JOSEPH; Col. Thomson's regt.

CALDWELL, JOSEPH, Sr.; Waters' regt.

CALDWELL, WILLIAM; Col. Waters' regt.

CALHOUN, ALEXANDER.

CALHOUN, HUGH.

CALHOUN, JAMES; served under Marion.

CALHOUN, JOHN; captain, Col. Robert Anderson's regt; Pickens' brigade.

CALHOUN, JOHN; dead at close of Revolution; Pickens'; Capts. Caldwell and John Calhoun's Co.

CALHOUN, JOHN; Capt. John Carithers' Co., Pickens' brigade.

CALHOUN, JOHN EWING; aide-de-camp to Gen. Pickens from May 1, 1781, to April 1, 1782.

CALHOUN, JOSEPH; capt., served 1779 as lieut.; 1780 to 1783 as capt.

CALHOUN, PATRICK, Jr.

CALHOUN, THOMAS; Brandon's regt.

CALHOUN, WILLIAM.

CALIHAN, JOHN; Capt. Carithers, Pickens' brigade.

CALLAGHAN, JOHN (known as Short); lost horse, saddle and bridle at Duncan's Creek, in action, Nov. 8, 1781.

CALOGHAN, JOHN; Soldier for State troops.

CALVERT, JAMES; Capt. Joseph Calhoun's Co.

CALVERT, JOHN; clerk to the commissioners of the navy board.

CAMBRAY, COL.; lieut.-colonel on continental and full colonel on militia.

CAMBRAY, COL.; arrived at Charleston, March 13, 1779, and served until disbandment of army Nov. 15, 1783; was lieutenant-colonel in continental army; thanked by legislature for the service rendered the State in securing its metropolis at a critical juncture of the last campaign and the promptness with which he has determined its judicious plan of "works." He has impressed them with a favorable opinion as well of his military genius as of his attachment to the cause of Liberty.

CAMERON, ANDREW.

CAMERON, JAMES.

CAMERON, JOHN; Capt. Martin's Co.; Sumter's brigade; lieut. under Col. Winn.

CAMERON, JOSEPH; lieut. under Col. Winn.

CAMMOCK, JOHN.

CAMP, JOHN; Roebuck's regt.

CAMPBELL, ANDREW; in Georgia under Col. Neel; under Sumter and Henderson.

CAMPBELL, ANGUS.

CAMPBELL, ANGUS; Capt. before fall of Charleston.

CAMPBELL, ANOREN.

CAMPBELL, CARTER; in 1779, took 600 pounds powder "from on board Capt. Maitland in Georgia."

CAMPBELL, DAVID.

CAMPBELL, DUNCAN.

CAMPBELL, GEORGE; Sergt., Capt. Ross, Col. Mydelton, Sumter.

CAMPBELL, GILBERT.

CAMPBELL, HENRY; Capt. John Cowan.

CAMPBELL, ISAAC.

CAMPBELL, JAMES; Capt. John Irwin; "house burned by Tories"; also under Capt. John Wilson.

CAMPBELL, JAMES; under Capt. John Cowan.

CAMPBELL, JOHN; under Col. Brandon.

CAMPBELL, JOHN; Lieut., probably killed during Rev., son of Capt. Angus Campbell, Sumter.

CAMPBELL, PATRICK; Pickens' brigade.

CAMPBELL, PHILIP.

CAMPBELL, ROBT.; killed.

CAMPBELL, ROBT.; First S. C. Continental regt.

CAMPBELL, ROBT.; Miss. First lieut.; Second Regt. Light Dragoons, Capt. Moore's Co., Mydelton's regt., Sumter's brigade; also adjt.

CAMPBELL, THOMAS; under Col. Thomas Neel in Georgia.

CAMPBELL, WILLIAM; was at the battle of King's Mountain; also in Capt. Howe's Co. of Sumter's brigade.

CANE, RICH.

CANMOURE, JOHN.

CANNON, ADAM.

CANNON, DAVID; Col. Waters' regt., Capt. McGaw's Co.

CANNON, EDWARD.

CANNON, GEORGE; Col. McDonald's regt., Marion's brigade.

CANNON, HENRY.

CANNON, ISAAC.

CANNON, JAMES.

CANNON, JOHN.

CANNON, ROBERT.

CANNON, WILLIAM.

CANNON, WILLIAM; "fifer" S. C. Continental line; trumpeter, Col. Hampton's regt.

CANNON, WILLIS.

CANTEY, CHARLES; under Col. Wm. Richardson.

CANTEY, JAMES; (brigadier?), Gen. Marion's brigade.

CANTEY, JOSIAH; Lieut.

CANTEY, PHILIP.

CANTEY, SAMUEL; under Col. Richardson. Marion's brigade.

CANTEY, ZACHARIAH; assistant to State commissary Thos. Wade; also under Capt. Chestnut.

CAPELLO, ANDREW; Continental line.

CAPERS, WILLIAM; Lieut. and Capt., dead at close of Rev.

CAPPARD, JOHN; Continental line.

CAPS, JOHN.

CARDEN, LARKIN; under Gens. Sumter and Henderson.

CAREY, BENJ.

CARITHERS, MATTHEW; Capt. R. Anderson's Co., Pickens' brigade.

CARITHERS, ROBERT; Capt. Pickens' brigade, service from 1779 to 1782 as private in the Cos. of Capt. Anthony Herd, John Calhoun and Wm. Freeman; probably succeeding the latter in the command.

CARITHERS, WILLIAM; under Capts. Anderson and Carithers.

CARLESS, WILLIAM; serj. maj.

CARLISLE; FRANCIS; private in Capt. Noble's Co.; lieut. in Capt. R. Carthiers' Co., Pickens' brigade.

CARN, FREDERICK; served under Marion.

CARNE, JOHN; apothecary at hospital.

CARNES, ROBERT, from June 25, 1780, under Capt. Hugh White and Lieut. Drennen; lost horse in action at Broad River, in '81, under Lieut. Robinson, guarding a jail in Col. Kimball's regt. lost gun at Sumter's defeat.

CARNS, DAVID; Lieut.

CARNS, LEWIS; Col. Maham's regt.

CARR, ABRAHAM.

CARR, EDMOND.

CARR, JOSEPH; Capt. Goodwin's Co., Taylor's regt.

CARR, JOHN, Jr.

CARR, ROBERT.

CARR, WILLIAM; under Capts. Jacob Barnet and Thomson, Lieut. Smith.

CARRAWAY, WILLIAM; Corp., Capt. Moore's Independent Co.

CARREL, SAMUEL.

CARREL, THOMAS.

CARREL, WILLIAM.

CARRICK, ADAM; under Capt. Ross, Sumter's brigade.

CARROL, DANIEL; under Col. Brandon.

CARROLL, JACOB; under Capt. John Cook, at Anerum; Lieut. D. McCord at McCord's Ferry and Lieut. Jacob Killingsworth at Orangeburg.

CARROL, JOHN; probably killed at Sumter's defeat.

CARROL, JOSEPH; under Capts. Thompson, Henderson and Garrison.

CARROL, JOSEPH; under Col. Henry Hampton, Sumter's brigade.

CARROL, SAMUEL; under Capts. Thomas and J. Henderson and Lieut. Cresswell.

CARROLL, EDMUND; driving cattle for Con. army, also in militia.

CARROLL, JACOB.

CARRUTH, ALEXANDER; sergt., Capt. Martin's Co., Sumter's brigade.

CARSON, ADAM; Capts. J. McGraw's and Joseph Carson's Cos.

CARSON, ADAM.

CARSON, ANDREW; at Briar Creek, later under Col. Bratton.

CARSON, DAVID; under Capt. Joseph Carson, Pickens' brigade.

CARSON, DAVID.

CARSON, JAMES; Lieut. under Pickens; commanding Co. on duty August 20, '82.

CARSON, JAMES; Rev., buried John Washington of Lieut. Col. Mayson's command, who was killed by accident Sept. 23, 1777.

CARSON, JOHN; Capt. Joseph Carson's Co.

CARSON, JOHN, Jr.

CARSON, JOSEPH; Capt. Pickens' brigade; private from August 17, 1781, to Nov. 15, 1781; then promoted to Capt.

CARSON, SAMUEL; under Capts. Joseph Carlisle and Carithers, Pickens' brigade; also under Capt. Francis Carlisle.

CARSON, THOMAS; Capt. Joseph Carson's Co.

CARSON, WALTER.

CARSON, WILLIAM; Capts. John and Wm. McGaw's Cos.

CARSON, WILLIAM; probably killed; widow, Elizabeth.

CARSON, WILLIAM, Sr.; Capt. Walter Carson's Co.; lost mare at Briar Creek when serving under Lieut. James Martin.

CARSWELL, GEORGE; Sergt., Capt. Jas. Calhoun and Wm. McGaw.

CARSWELL, JOSEPH; Capt. John McGaw's Co.

CARTER, DUDLEY; Lieut.

CARTER, CHURCHWELL.

CARTER, JAMES; Lieut., dead at close of Rev.

CARTER, JOHN; Capt. of the "Ewhaw Scouts," 1779.

CARTER, JOHN; served under Marion; Capt. of the American Scout Co.; Nov. 22, '82; had 70 men Nov. 24, '82.

CARTER, JOHN; Capt. Ross's Co., Sumter's brigade.

CARTER, MATTHEW.

CARTER, RANDOLPH.

CARTER, ROBERT; Capt. McGowan's Co.

CARTER, ROBERT; Capt., dead at close of Rev.

CARTER, ROBERT WILLIAM.

CARTER, SAMUEL.

CARTER, THOMAS.

CARTER, WILLIAM; Continental line; sergt. major.

CARTLEDGE, JOSEPH.

CARTLEDGE, EDMUND; surgeon, Col. Samuel Hammond's regiment.

CARY, THOMAS.

CARYL, JOSEPH; quartermaster, Col. H. Hampton's regt.

CASELS, BENJAMIN.

CASELS, HENRY.

CASELS, JOHN.

CASEY, AARON; Roebuck's regt.

CASEY, ABNER; Pickens' brigade.

CASEY, CHRISTOPHER; Roebuck's regt.

CASEY, JOHN; Capt. Benj. Kilgore's Co., Casey's regt., Oct., Nov., '80.

CASEY, JOHN.

CASEY, LEVI; capt. and lieut.-col.

CASEY, LEVI; Heut.-col. of Little River regt. from Dec. 1, '80, to Dec. 1, 1782, in service in all 453 days. Gen. Pickens certifies that "duty was faithfully performed under my command." Col. Casey was captain before fall of Charleston.

CASEY, PETER.

CASEY, WILLIAM; Capt. Mapp's Co., Pickens' brigade.

CASKEY, JOHN; Capt. Adam's Co., Lacey.

CASKEY, SAMUEL.

CASKIN, JOHN; "artificer" to Colleton County regt.

CASON, WILLIAM.

CASSETTEE (?), WILLIAM.

CASSITY, ZACHARIAH.

CASTLEBERRY, WILLIAM; sergt., Roebuck's regt.

CASTILLER, THOMAS.

CASTON, JOHN; Littleton's Bastion.

CATER, WILLIAM.

CATES, AARON; Waters' regt.

CATLET, ABNER.

CATO, BURRELL.

CATO, HENRY; Lieut.

CATO, JAMES.

CATO, WILLIAM; probably under Marion.

CATTERTON, JOHN; Capt.

CATTERTON, JOHN; private and captain.

CAULEY, GEORGE.

CAULEY, JOHN.

CAULEY, NATHAN.

CAULEY, RICHARD.

CAULEY, SHERARD.

CAULEY, ZACHIAS.

CAUSEY, WILLIAM.

CAVIL, BENJAMIN; Roebuck's regt.

CHALMERS, GILBERT; coffin-maker attached to general hospital.

CHALMERS, JAMES; Lieut. Capt. Joseph Dawson's Co. of horse from Feb., '79, to Aug., '82.

CHALMERS, JOHN.

CHALMERS, JOHN; Capt.; served also as lieutenant under Capt. Carson, Peters and Guthrie.

CHAMBERLAIN, JOHN; Pickens' brigade.

CHAMBERS, ADAM; Pickens' brigade.

CHAMBERS, JAMES; under Lieut. Jas. Martin of Maj. John Wallace's division; also at Briar Creek under Maj. Ross and Gen. Williamson.

CHAMBERS, JOHN; Col. Bratton.

CHAMP, RICHARD; sergeant.

CHAMPAIGN, GILBERT; Roebuck's regt.

CHAMPION, JACOB.

CHANDLER, DANIEL; Waters' regt.

CHANDLER, DAVID; Waters' regt.

CHANDLER, ISAAC.

CHANDLER, JAMES; Waters' regt.

CHANDLER, JEREMIAH; Roebuck's regt.

CHANDLER, JESSE; Capt. Smith's Co., Sumter's brigade.

CHANDLER, JOEL; Waters' regt., had two sons killed in battle; lost horse in service.

CHANDLER, JOHN; Waters' regt.

CHANDLER, JOSEPH (son of Joel); killed in service; Waters' regt.

CHANDLER, MESHECK; Waters' regt.

CHANDLER, MORDECAI; Roebuck's regt.; also in Waters' regt.

CHANDLER, OBADIAH (son of Joel); Waters' regt., killed in service.

CHANDLER, SHADRACK; Col. Waters and Col. Casey.

CHANDLER, SOLOMON KING; Capts. John and Henry Liles and Ed. Kelly's Cos. of Waters' regt.; also Casey's regt.

CHANDLER, THOMAS; Lieut., Capt. John Nelson's Co.; under Col. Richardson, Major James and Maj. Gamble of Marion's brigade.

CHANDLER, WILLIAM.

CHANNEL, ARCHIBALD.

CHAPLAIN, THOMAS; in command of detachment at St. Helena, March 12, 1779.

CHAPMAN, GILES; Col. Waters' regt.

CHAPMAN, GILES; Waters' regt.

CHAPMAN, JOHN; Col. Waters.

CHAPMAN, JOHN; Waters' regt.

CHAPMAN, JOSEPH; Capt. Robert Maxwell.

CHAPMAN, JOSEPH; Capt. Ed. Martin, Col. Winn.

CHAPMAN, ROBERT; Sergt., Third S. C. Continental regt.

CHAPMAN, WILLIAM.

CHAPMAN, WILLIAM; Capt. Aramanus Liles, Maj. John Pearson; was at Russell's Ferry under Col. Winn; at Orangeburg under Col. Thomson and Four-Holes under Col. Winn.

CHAPPELL, HICKS; Col. Thomas Taylor's regt., from July 28, 1780, to June 15, 1781; served as lieutenant at McCord's Ferry, at Orangeburg and Four-Holes; lost horse in action.

CHAPPELL, LABAN.

CHAPPELL, LABAN; Capt. Wm. Goodwin of Col. Taylor's regt.

CHAPPELL, ROBERT; Capt. Wm. Goodwin, Col. Taylor.

CHAPPELL, ROBERT; Capt. Ed. Martin's Co. of Winn's regt.; dead at close of Rev.; widow Mary.

CHAPPLE, JAMES; Capt. Anderson Thomas' Co.

CHARLES, LAWRENCE; Capt. Fridig's Co.

CHARLES, MICHAEL; Waters' regt.

CHASTAIN, PETER; Col. Leroy Hammond's regt.

CHAVUS, DANIEL; Col. Hopkin's regt.

CHEEK, ELIAS; Brandon's regt.

CHENEY, JOHN; Col. Leroy Hammond's regt.

CHERRY, MOSES; Col. Brandon's regt., lieutenant.

CHERRY, NICHOLAS; quartermaster, Col. Brandon's regt.

CHERRY, WILLIAM; Brandon; also under Marion.

CHESNEY, WILLIAM; Brandon's regt.; lost horse on Cherokee expedition.

CHESTNUT, ALEXANDER; Capt. John Turner, Col. Winn's regt.

CHESTNUT, Capt.; served prior to fall of Charleston.

CHESTNUT, JAMES; Capt. John Turner's Co. of Col. Winn's regt.

CHESTNUT, SAMUEL; Capt. John Turner of Col. Winn's regt.

CHEWOOD, DONALD; Capt. Waters' regt.

CHEWOOD, JAMES; Waters' regt.

CHEVAS, JEREMIAH; Brandon's regt.

CHEVAS, THOMAS; Capt. Joseph Calhoun's Co.; dead at close of Rev.; widow, Margaret.

CHEW, BENJAMIN.

CHEW, CALEB.

CHEWCAUS, JEREMIAH; Brandon's regt.

CHEWS, JOHN DRURY; Capt. James Williams.

CHILDERS, JOHN; Waters' regt.

CHILDS, JOHN, Jr.; Capt. John Calhoun.

CHILDS, JOHN Sr.; Capts. Freeman and Calhoun.

CHILDS, JONATHAN; Capts. Armstrong, Herd, John Calhoun and Wm. Freeman.

CHINA, JOHN.

CHIPPELL, AMADENS; "Commissary of hides"; Southern army.

CHISOM, JOHN; Roebuck's regt.

CHRIPES, WILLIAM; major; Polk's regt., Sumter's brigade.

CHRISTOPHER, JAMES; Pickens' brigade.

CHURCH, MICHAEL; dragoon.

CLACKLEY, JOHN; of Orangeburg.

CLANCEY, WILLIAM; saddler.

CLARK, ALEXANDER, Jr.; Capt. John Cowan.

CLARK, ALEXANDER, Sr.; Capt. Joseph Calhoun.

CLARK, ANTHONY; Capt. James Howe, was at Briar Creek.

CLARK, BENJAMIN; fife-major, Capt. Joseph Bowie's independent Co.; adjutant for Col. Anderson's regt.

CLARK, CHRISTOPHER; Roebuck's regt.

CLARK, DAVID; Capt. John Cowan.

CLARK, EDWARD; Col. Brandon's regt.

CLARK, FRANCIS; Col. Brandon's regt.

CLARK, GIDEON.

CLARK, HARMON.

CLARK, IDERAS; Capt. Montgomery, Col. Brandon.

CLARK, JACOB; Capt. Joseph Calhoun.

CLARK, JAMES; Capt. Montgomery; also Capt. John McCauley; was at siege of Charleston; was also in Capt. Mapp's Co.

CLARK, JAMES; Capt. James Steen's Co., Brandon's regt.

CLARK, JAMES; Capt. Waters.

CLARK, JESSE; Sergt., Capt. N. Martin, Sumter.

CLARK, JOHN; Col. Horry.

CLARK, JOHN; Capts. A. Liles and Ed. Kelly, Waters.

CLARK, JOHN; adjutant, Sumter; presented bill for one mare killed under him on a scout; to one saddle and bridle lost at ye same time; to a rackunhe hatt, a cote, hunting shurt taken from him at ye same time as he fell in ye Inemys hands.

CLARK, JONAS; first lieutenant, Capt. N. Martin's Co., Sumter's brigade.

CLARK, JOSEPH; under Col. Neel (Maj. Ross) at Briar Creek; Lieut. John Forbes (Col. Wm. Bratton) at Wright's Bluff; Capt. Robt. Thomson (Sumter) at Sumter's defeat; Capt. John Anderson.

CLARK, LEWIS; Pickens' brigade.

CLARK, MOSES; Marion.

CLARK, NON; Marion.

CLARK, THOMAS; Capt. Norwood; Pickens; also Col. Hopkins.

CLARK, THOMAS; Maham's regt.

CLARK, TOM; Capt., in command of 20 men at Col. James', July 8, 1781.

CLARK, WILLIAM; bailiff, in Capt. Jos. Calhoun's Co.

CLARK, WILLIAM; Capt. John Henderson at Orangeburg and battle of Blackstocks under Col. Bratton; under Capt. Benjamin Garrison at "Fridig's Fort," Lieut. Henry Carswell of John Henderson's Co., at Edisto.

CLARK, WILLIAM; Sergt. Capt. Cowan, Col. Winn.

CLARK, WILLIAM; Lieut., Bratton's regt.; also Brandon's.

CLARKSON, JOHN; Pickens' brigade.

CLAVE, ANDREW; probably killed at Sumter's defeat.

CLAY, NATHAN; Pickens' brigade.

CLAYBORNE, LEONARD; Capt. Bowie's Independent Co.

CLAYTON, ABRAHAM; Capt. in Colleton County regt.; wounded in action.

CLAYTON, ISAAC; Marion.

CLAYTON, JOHN; Roebuck's regt.

CLAYTON, JOHN; Capt. Youngblood's troop of horse; also Roebuck's regt.; dead at close of Rev.

# National Old Trails Road Department

Miss Elizabeth Butler Gentry, Chairman National Committee

Ohio history is repeating itself. One of the foremost road States in the second decade of the century, Ohio men and women of this second decade of the twentieth century are again making road history, than which nothing is of greater value to the State.

The inscription of 1830 on the tablet in the Ohio bridge—"The Policy of the Nation—Reciprocity at Home and Abroad" might well be adopted as the working-motto of this committee. Only through reciprocity do we get beyond our own bailiwick.

It broadens the horizon of the New York members of this committee and of the Kansas members alike, when the thought flashes across their mental vision that they are united with Ohio and California women in a great service to the nation; Charles Summer's epigram is easily adaptable here: "The two greatest forces for the advancement of civilization are the schoolmaster and good roads."

It is of inestimable value to the women of Arrow Rock, Mo.—one of the tiniest hamlets on the National Highway—to link hands with New York and California in a project, mutually beneficial.

New York City and San Francisco women, in the vortex of their activities and interests, perhaps can best see the value of a great National Highway by looking through the eyes of Arrow Rock women

whose interests are less compelling and to whom the road is the open sesame to the world. Arrow Rock women have looked at the subject through the eyes of New York and San Francisco and see a happier future, not only for themselves but for all the thousands of little

Arrow Rocks scattered along the 5,000 miles of this road.

The accompanying letter from Mrs. Mack shows that the Ohio Committee has put into effect the plans outlined in this department in the September magazine.

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"My Committee is wide awake to the social and historic value of this road. The Old National Pike now a link in the National Old Trails Road struck across central Ohio from East to West and was the road used by the pioneers in the settlement of the western country:

I have a chairman for each county traversed by the Old Pike, also a member in each of Ohio's 54 chapters; we have labored to create public sentiment for the National Old Trails Road bills now before Congress, we have made personal appeals to Ohio Senators and Representatives both National and State.

From Federal appropriation the State and the several counties, the road will be improved from Columbus, through Franklin, Licking, Muskingum, Guernsey and Belmont counties to the Ohio River. Mr. James Marker, State Highway Commissioner, has designated the



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Ohio State Chairman National Old Trails  
Road Committee.

Old Pike in Ohio as "Number One" in his inter-county plans: fifty-three miles of this road between Columbus and Zanesville are set apart for first improvement. Governor Cox is heartily supporting these particular plans as well as the general plan for the National Highway.

On June 17th, I spoke on the National Old Trails Road before the Cincinnati chapter and was delighted at the interest manifested by a number of the leading citizens of Cincinnati who were present as well as the chapter members, nearly all of whom attended.

It is the fixed purpose of the Old Trails Road Committee in Ohio to continue the work of arousing widespread interest and securing necessary legislation to carry forward the work."

MRS. JOHN T. MACK,  
*Ohio Chairman, National Old Trails Com.*

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Extracts from *Better Roads Magazine*,  
Sept., 1913.

"When the builders of the old National Road erected a splendid stone bridge across a little rill eight miles west of Zanesville and 41 miles east of Columbus, they put in place a stone tablet, where all who passed might read, bearing this remarkable inscription: 'The Policy of the Nation, Reciprocity at Home and Abroad.' That bridge was finished in 1830, and there the tablet has stood a part of the barrier along the roadside, for eighty-one long years, bearing a prophecy that was chiseled by careful hands, in the time of Andrew Jackson.

"It was the idea of 'reciprocity at home,' the development of commerce and brotherly communication between the East and the 'great West,' that led to the construction of the National Road, but the idea of 'reciprocity abroad' was even then in the minds of the men who directed the destinies of the young republic from the Capitol and the White House."

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"REVIVAL OF THE ROADSIDE INN."

BY GEORGE U. MARVIN.

"The better roads movement has paved the way to a new industry—the revival

of the once famous way-side tavern. Many of them are still standing; some on the main roads are in a fair state of preservation. Where a few hundred dollars cannot make them inhabitable new ones can be erected, so the needs of the traveler can be met in former-time methods.

"On one of the new roads into Cleveland, Ohio,—an inter-county road—just recently completed, is a stretch of settlement unchanged as to size and quality, except the gigantic growth of its huge maples, since the trail cutters of early days. It was a familiar path of the underground railway. At each end of the main street is a farm house of ample proportions, once famous as a wayside inn. Their signs rusty from the hinges 60 years ago, soon after the fleet feet of the stage horses ceased to echo along the crude highway and the loud voices of the drivers announced the coming mail. The everpresent bar room has never lost its suggestive title. It differs from the other rooms of the house simply in the double lock upon the door, indicating a 'high tide' cash register of anti-bellum days.

"The tales of adventure have clung to the 'storied' buildings through three generations of eager listeners—nor grown less, neither are they added to, for the sake of a thrill.

"Never did the youth dream but that the old tavern would slumber itself away to a natural death. One quiet Sabbath morning, when the day promised fair and the huge, noble boughs touched lovingly the eaves of the one-time inn and the birds were warbling their approval in the tree tops, a new sign was hung far over the north and south roadway with bold black letters looking hopefully toward Lake Erie and its other side speaking a welcome to the tourist from the south."

*See Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine, April, 1913, p. 164, for the above idea in detail.*

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The old tavern at Arrow Rock, Mo., built 1830, has been rehabilitated through the efforts of this Committee; forty women of Arrow Rock formed the

"Woman's National Old Trails Road Association" in June, 1912, since which time many valuable historic relics, reflecting the mode of life, the habits, customs and cultivation of Missouri a century ago, are on permanent exhibition in the Museum-room.

The tavern clings to the old name, but not to the literal old meaning of the word: nothing stronger than ginger ale is dispensed by mine host and hostess, each of whom is locally famous; mine host for his antiquarian proclivities; mine hostess for her genius as a cook and faultless housekeeping.

This Tavern-Museum is already a Motor-Mecca for the surrounding countryside; it is also the civic and social center of Arrow Rock. The Chairman of each Trail State should carry out this idea on the Trail in her State.

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Extract from speech of Judge J. M. Lowe at Road meeting at Zanesville, Ohio, July 21, relative to a proposed new bill:

"The appropriation bill, as suggested, is limited to the four following States: Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri, for the reason that, in the compact of Union between these four States and the Government a section was inserted pledging the Government to appropriate one-twentieth of the net proceeds of the sales of all public lands of such States to building a road or roads, as follows: two-fifths on roads leading to the States, and three-fifths on roads within the States. These are the only States on the line of our road having such an agreement. For instance, when Kansas was admitted, instead of appropriating one-twentieth of the proceeds from the sale of her public lands to a road she took the proceeds and applied it to her school funds. Besides,

at the time of her admission, the era of railroad building was in full swing, and most of her public domain was given to the railroads. Some of the other public land States agreed that one-twentieth of the proceeds from the sale of their public lands might be turned over to their legislatures, but as to Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri, Congress *reserved the power*, and solemnly agreed to exercise it *in building roads to and through those States*.

"The Original Thirteen States retained jurisdiction and control over all their public lands. The 'Public Land States' voluntarily surrendered their public lands to the Government on condition that one-twentieth of the same be applied to building roads by the Government.

"Now, what we ask and all we **ask** is that the Government shall comply with and keep this agreement. She has said that the States cannot repudiate this agreement, and we reply that it is equally binding upon the Government.

"We do not believe that this Bill should be amended, but you must not believe for one moment that the Government will stop building this road when it reaches the Ohio River on the east, or the Missouri River on the west.

"The Government will build this much of a National Highway because 'it is so nominated in the bond,' and the balance, both east and west, because Public Sentiment and Public Welfare equally demand that it shall be built."

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At the New York, Maryland, Indiana, Virginia, Ohio, Missouri and Kansas State Conferences our red, white and blue pennants will be on sale at a dollar and a half each.

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Our readers will observe the reappearance in this issue of the D. A. R. Magazine of the advertisement of "The Pioneer Mothers of America," G. P. Putnam's Sons, Publishers.

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American history that has to do with Colonial and Revolutionary times.

The returns from advertising placed last winter and spring in the American Monthly Magazine were such as warrant a continuation of the patronage now.

This illustrates that one practical way of helping the D. A. R. Magazine is to patronize its advertisers.

# Marriage Record Exchange 1777-1850

Through the National Committee on Historical Research

Mrs. Charles Wesley Bassett, Chairman

CERTIFICATES OF PUBLICATIONS  
TOWN OF TROY NOW FALL  
RIVER, MASS.

Vol. 1st page 15. City Records.

I Hereby Certify that an Intention of Marriage Between John Dier of porchmuth Rhodisland and Sibil Wever of Troy hath been entered with me fourteen Days prior To the Date hereof and published in the Town of Troy. As the Law Directs given under my hand this 4th day of December 1804.

BENJAMIN BRIGHTMAN,  
Town Clerk.

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I Hereby Certify & page 15  
1. William Little of peachman State of Vermont Resident in Troy and Mary Cleaveland of Troy. Day of 1805.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 15  
2. Samuel Warren of Troy and Betsy Durphee of Teverton 24th Day of March 1805.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 15  
3. phillip Lee of Troy and Member Luis of Middleburruh, 7 Day of April 1805.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 15  
4. Joseph Sanders of providence State of Rhodisland and Sarah Wilbor of Troy 27 Day of April 1805.

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5. I Hereby Certify etc. page 16  
gideon hathaway and Rreviah Davis Both of Troy 27 Day of April 1805.

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6. I Hereby Certify etc. page 16  
Abischer Cowen and Hope Chace of Troy June 4th 1805.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 16  
7. James Brightman and Sarah Hathaway Both of Troy. 18th Day of August 1805.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 16  
8. Jonathan Minge of Troy and hannah homes of Teverton 17th August 1805.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 16  
9. Benjamin Bennet of Troy Susannah Durfee of Teverton 24 of September 1805.

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I Hereby Certify page 17  
10. Daniel Davis and Elizabeth Butts of Troy 6th of July 1808.

I Hereby Certify page 18  
11. George Graves of providence and Ann challinor of Troy 23 day of September 1805.

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I Hereby Certify page 18  
12. Isaac Tannens of Teverton and Susan Cole of Rainham Resident in Troy. 23d of September 1805.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 18  
13. Ollever Read and hannah Lawton both of Troy 24th day of September 1805.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 18  
14. Thomas Washbun of Dartmouth and polly Boomer of Troy this day of Oct. 1805.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 18  
15. David gifford of Teverton & Cynthia Wilbor of Troy 20th day of Oct. 1805.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 18  
16. Thomas Davis and Silve Read both of Troy the 16th day of Jan. 1806.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 19  
17. Richard Davis and Anna Terry both of Troy. 6th Day of December 1806.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 19  
18. David Davis and phebe Read both of Troy 28th day of April 1806.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 19  
19. William Davis of Teverton and Ruth Borden of Troy 4th day of Oct. 1806.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 19  
20. William Barnebus Canaday and Susan Huse Luther both of Troy this day of Oct. 1806.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 19  
21. Abraham Borden of Troy and Sally Brown of Middletown State of Rhodisland 14 day of Oct. 1806.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 19  
22. Stephen Borden of Teverton and Martha Evans of Troy 14th Day of October 1806.

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I Hereby Certify etc. page 20  
23. Adum Brinder and Lucy Burden both of Troy 13th day of November 1806.

I Hereby Certify etc. page 20  
 24. Edmond french of Berkly and Sally Valentine of Troy 27 day of November 1806.  
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I Hereby Certify etc. page 20  
 25. Henry Brightman and phebe Read of Troy 27th day of November 1806.  
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I Hereby Certify etc. page 20  
 26. Joseph Tompkins of Troy and Sally graves of providence State of Rhodisland day of December 1806.  
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I Hereby Certify etc. page 20  
 27. Cherls Church and Mary Rogers both of troy 15th day of Aug. 1807.  
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I Hereby Certify etc. page 20  
 28. Henry Gibbs of Sumerset and Betsey Brightman of Troy 15 day of August 1805.  
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I Hereby Certify etc. page 20  
 29. Ollevor Whitwell and Elizabeth Winslow both of Troy 9th day of May 1808.  
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I Hereby Certify etc. page 70  
 30. Capt Robert Miller of Troy and Alice Borden of Westport October 4th A. D. 1829 Benj Anthony town clerk.  
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Copied by Carrie E. B. Peckham,  
 Quequechan Chapter,  
 Fall River, Mass.  
 Verified by Lucy A. Allen.

## In Memoriam

MRS. ANNA BUEL GRAY, wife of Dr. Henry Gray and sister of Mrs. Julius J. Estey, died at her home in Greenwich, N. Y., September 23, 1913. Mrs. Gray was a member at large.

MRS. MARCELLUS FRANCIS, a charter member of Lake St. Catherine Chapter, Wells, Vt., died on August 6, 1913. Mrs. Francis was of a genial nature and much loved by a large circle of friends.

MRS. FRANCES KINGSBURY MASON, wife of the late General Edwin C. Mason, died at her home in Pasadena, California, on September 20, 1913. Mrs. Mason was a charter member of Pasadena Chapter and was also a charter member of Colonial Dames of Minnesota. Her enthusiasm and patriotism and loyalty to the interests of her chapter were an inspiration to all, and she will be sadly missed.

MRS. SARAH ANN GAGEBY MONTGOMERY, a highly esteemed member of Lone Tree Chapter, Greensburg, Ind., died on September 28, 1913,

aged 82 years. Mrs. Montgomery's father was one of the first settlers of Decatur Co., Indiana.

MRS. BENJAMIN F. LEWIS (Anna M. Johnson), a member of Quaker City Chapter, Philadelphia, died at her home in North Wales, Pa., on August 11, 1913.

MISS LUCY ELIZABETH WHITE, daughter of the late John H. and Lucy Barrett White, New York, died on September 13, 1913, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Gordon Fuller, at Glenview, Ill. Miss White was the first secretary of the Ft. Dearborn Chapter of Evanston, Ill., and was also a member of the Lyceum Club of Paris and London. She was graduated with honors from Wellesley College in 1893, and in 1901 with Miss Maud Martin and Miss May Lemer founded the Villa Dupont School for American girls, in Paris. Besides her sister, Mrs. Fuller, Miss White is survived by a brother, Gaylord B. White, of New York, N. Y.

*A New, Revised, and Greatly Enlarged Edition* of Heitman's Historical Register of Officers of the Continental Army, during the War of the Revolution, 1775-1783, is now on the press. The Daughters are familiar with the edition of the extremely valuable work issued by Mr. Francis B. Heitman, in 1893; which edition contained the records of 8,000 Officers. The plates of this edition were destroyed in the Baltimore fire, which caused the book to become out-of-print and scarce.

Mr. Heitman, immediately after this happened, began the work of revising, and augmenting the old records, and has added thereto the records of 6,000

Officers not given in the former edition, so we now have the culmination of his life work, a book containing the records of 14,000 Officers, together with a number of chapters devoted to collateral information of great value.

The mechanical part of the book is excellent, the names being in black-faced Gothic and the records in Roman type, thereby making the work a desirable one for reference.

The Rare Book Shop Publishing Co., Inc., Washington, D. C. is the publisher and will sell the book for \$8.00 until December 1, 1913, after which the price will be fixed at \$10.00 NET.

# National Society Children of the American Revolution

The monthly meeting of the Board of Management C. A. R. was held October 9, 1913, at Continental Hall. Mrs. Marsh presiding in the absence of the president and the vice president presiding.

The meeting was opened with the Lord's Prayer.

The secretary's minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. Brumbaugh moved that the resolutions upon the death of Mrs. Tweedale be spread upon the minutes.

The Vice President in Charge of Organization of Societies made her report as follows: RESIGNATIONS.

Mrs. Joseph C. Allen, State director for Alabama.

Mrs. Clarence M. Tardy, president, Jane Bland Society, Birmingham, Alabama.

Mrs. George Smart, president, Catherine Avery Society, Cleveland, Ohio.

## NAMES PRESENTED.

Mrs. Clarence M. Tardy, State director for Alabama.

Miss Stella Pickett Hardy, State director for Arkansas.

Mrs. John Patton, president Jane Bland Society, Birmingham, Alabama.

Miss Mary Carter Thurber, president to organize at Mobile, Alabama.

Mrs. George R. Blinn, of Bedford, Massachusetts, president, Old North Bridge Society, Concord, Massachusetts.

Miss Isabel Wesson (146 Marlboro Street) president, Signal Lantern Society, Boston, Massachusetts.

Mrs. Eugene Marsh (102 Jefferson Avenue) president to organize at Webster Grove, Missouri.

Miss Margaret E. Hollis, president to organize at Gilbertsville, New York.

Mrs. F. S. Hoskins (1944 East 66th Street), president, Catherine Avery Society, Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. Franklin C. Cain, president to organize at Saint Matthews, South Carolina.

Mrs. Willard S. Augsbury, State promoter in New York.

Mrs. Charles Fred Boshart, State promoter in New York.

## NAMES FOR LOCAL SOCIETIES.

General John Philip De Haas, at Lebanon, Pennsylvania.

Susquehanna, at Bloomsbury, Pennsylvania.

Emily Geiger, at Saint Matthews, South Carolina.

William and Thomas Lewis, at Webster Grove, Missouri.

## DEATHS REPORTED.

Mrs. L. B. Fay, elected president to organize under Fort Washington Chapter D. A. R. in New York city.

Mrs. E. B. Hoyt, Syracuse, New York, State promoter, C. A. R.

Mrs. Bratton's resignation as State director of Michigan was read and accepted with regret.

The Corresponding Secretary's report was read and accepted.

The Treasurer reported a current balance of \$309.56 with a current expenditure of \$48.55 and a total balance of \$4,481.73.

The Registrar reported seventy-two candidates and the Secretary cast the ballot constituting them members, provided all dues were paid.

The Chairman of the Printing Committee made her report which was accepted.

A letter from Mrs. Cummins was read, expressing her regret that she could not be present, and saying that arrangements had been made with the artist for Mrs. Lothrop's portrait.

An invitation to the New York State Conference from the State director was read.

Mrs. Logan's resignation as corresponding secretary was read and accepted with regret and thanks for her past services.

Mrs. Gaius M. Brumbaugh was nominated and elected corresponding secretary.

Mrs. Charles W. Brown was nominated and elected chaplain.

Mrs. Brumbaugh was instructed to see if she could find some one to do the work on the card catalogue, so that it could be brought up to date and kept so.

Respectfully submitted,  
C. E. CUSTIS, *secretary.*

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# National Board of Management

## N. S., D. A. R.

Regular Meeting, Wednesday, October 1, 1913

A regular meeting of the National Board of Management was called to order by the President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story, Wednesday, October 1, 1913, at 10:30 a. m., in the Board room of Memorial Continental Hall.

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain General, Mrs. Lockwood, the Board joining in the Lord's Prayer.

The Recording Secretary General called the roll, the following members answering to their names:

The President General, Mrs. Mann, Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, Vice-Presidents General: Mrs. Bond, Mass.; Mrs. Ames, Illinois; Mrs. Libbey, New Jersey; Mrs. Johnson, Maine; Mrs. Peel, Georgia; Mrs. Crosby, Wisconsin; Mrs. Van Landingham, North Carolina; Mrs. Kite, Ohio; Mrs. Goode, Alabama; Mrs. Ferley, Pennsylvania. Active Officers: Mrs. Lockwood, Chaplain General; Mrs. Ransdell, Treasurer General; Mrs. Brumbaugh, Registrar General; Mrs. Passett, Historian General; Mrs. Orton, Assistant Historian General; Mrs. Sternberg, Librarian General; Mrs. Boyle, Recording Secretary General. State Regents: Mrs. Buel, Connecticut; Mrs. Hall, Delaware; Mrs. Richardson, District of Columbia; Mrs. Foster, Georgia; Mrs. Lawrence, Illinois; Mrs. Guernsey, Kansas; Mrs. Hogan, Maryland; Mrs. Jenkins, Massachusetts; Mrs. Parker, Michigan; Mrs. Yardley, New Jersey; Mrs. Reynolds, North Carolina; Mrs. Hamilton, Ohio; Mrs. Maupin, Virginia. State Vice-Regents: Mrs. Cullop, Indiana; Mrs. Boshart, New York; Mrs. Mondell, Wyoming.

The Chairman of Finance Committee called attention to the fact that certain recommendations of the Auditor were published in the June minutes of the Board as having been passed, and the reading of the original motions passed at the June Board meeting were called for.

The motions of the June Board meeting were then read by the Recording Secretary General from the motion-cards signed by the makers of the motions. Coming to the motions taken from the recommendations contained in the various reports, for which there were no signed cards, on motion of the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, seconded by the State Regents of Delaware and the Vice-President General from Pennsylvania, *that the Recording Secretary General proceed with the reading of motions of Chairman of*

*Magazine Committee*, these also were read. After lengthy discussion, participated in by Vice-Presidents General from Georgia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Wisconsin, the Librarian General, Historian General, Chaplain General, Recording Secretary General, Registrar General, Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, Assistant Historian General, State Regents of Maryland, New Jersey, Kansas, District of Columbia, Illinois, Ohio, Virginia, Delaware, and others, it was moved by Mrs. Lawrence, of Illinois, seconded by the Vice-President General from Ohio, *that a Committee of three be appointed to investigate and report where responsibility rests, or errors appearing in our Magazine Report of June Board meeting.* It was moved by the Vice-President General from Wisconsin, seconded by the Vice-President General from Massachusetts, *to table Mrs. Lawrence's motion*, which was carried. The following motion by the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, seconded by the State Regent of Delaware, Vice-President General from Pennsylvania, and State Regent of Kansas, *that the necessary corrections of the printed account of the June meeting appearing in the Magazine be made in the next copy of the Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine*, was put and carried. The State Regent of Maryland stated that because the report of the President General at the June Board meeting was printed as amended, the subsequent discussion and motion was made to appear without point; the President General ruled that the corrections be made as requested by the State Regent of Maryland.

The following motion was then offered by the Librarian General, *that having verified the motions, and read the minutes of the June meeting, and having corrected the mistakes that appear in the Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine published in July, that we proceed to take up the business of the day*, which was seconded by the State Regent of Kansas and carried. The State Regent of Delaware asked if it be out of order for her to present the following motion, seconded by the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, *that in view of the departure of some members, the report of the Chairman of the Building and Grounds be made the first order of the afternoon session*, which was put to a vote, and there being some question as to the result, a rising vote was asked for by the State Regent of Delaware. Motion carried.

The President General addressed the Board as follows:

Washington, D. C., October 1, 1913.

To the National Officers, Vice-Presidents General and State Regents of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution.

My Dear Fellow Members:

I am glad to meet you and happy in the anticipation of the work we have before us at this opening meeting of a season, which I hope may be crowded full of great achievements—stimulated by a sincere spirit of good will and a desire on the part of each member for co-operation and mutual consideration. The work is here to do, you have the splendid ability to do it, and the opportunity, the privilege, is ours.

Many kind messages have come to me from my dear official family during the summer, and while the "much needed rest" they have wished for me has not been mine, the summer has been crowded with interesting work.

The appointing of the committees has been a great pleasure to me and I have sincerely tried to name the members intelligently and fairly. I have honored every request that has come to me from State Regents and those of friends when it has been possible to do so.

I hope you will understand that the appointments on committees is the result of the feeling expressed by a very large group of women from different sections of our country. I think you will see that I have sincerely tried to name the members intelligently and fairly. I want you to remember that I have endeavored to eliminate every personal feeling in every particular case, and that the appointments that appear are the result of the requests of my Board and my members. Perhaps I may say in this particular connection that I have had one hundred printed for your convenience as they stand at this time. They are due here to-day, and I want you to accept them as the committees as far as they have been printed and in as correct a form as we could present them to you. They are not correct and they are not complete. They will be changed before the large number of 2,000 will be ordered. Please accept these lists, not as perfect, but as the best that we have at this time and printed for your convenience.

I would say, in connection with these appointments, it has been customary to appoint the ex-Presidents General, the present Vice-Presidents General, the National officers, the State Regents, the Honorary officers, members of the Continental Hall Committee, that that custom has been followed by me, but that your ex-President General, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, has declined to accept an appointment on that Committee.

The copies of national committees that are presented to you to-day are not perfected, but are here for convenience, and before the large number usually required is printed, certain additions and changes will be made. I wish to speak here of the kindly interest expressed by the clerks who have worked over hours and from different departments, and especially of

Mrs. Ezekiel and Mrs. Fishburne, in order to get these lists, that I have crowded upon them at a late hour, ready for you at this meeting.

I have to report to you in the matter of the request made by authorization of our Executive Board, that our Peace Flag, the property of the National Society, which I believe was presented by Dr. William O. McDowell some years ago to the N. S. D. A. R., be floated from the first boat that shall pass through the Panama Canal on the occasion of the official opening. My letter which was forwarded with the Flag is appended as follows: You will be gratified to know that Col. Goethals has responded, granting our request in most gracious terms.

Col. George W. Goethals, U. S. A., Chairman Isthmian Canal Commission, Chief Engineer, Panama Canal, Ancon, Canal Zone, Isthmus of Panama.

My Dear Colonel Goethals:

The precious emblem which is enclosed I trust to your worthy hands, asking you to place it upon the first ship that shall pass through the Panama Canal.

I venture to ask this favor in the name of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, an organization of over one hundred thousand American women who descend lineally from the patriots of that period in our history which was made great through the sacrifice of life made by the men and women of our country in establishing the principles of Liberty and Justice.

We hold in our hearts a reverent love for our National Emblem, and this banner, encircled as we hope our beloved country may always be, by Peace, as expressed by the pure white border, we believe is a fitting emblem to lead the vessel which will first pass through the Panama Canal.

We will dearly prize this opportunity, if you will graciously accord it to us, to take part in this great uniting and splendid achievement.

The Daughters of the American Revolution will be called together from all over the country, on the second Friday in May, 1915, during the Exposition in San Francisco, to express by their presence their respect for this National Celebration.

Very sincerely yours,

DAISY ALLEN STORY,  
President General, N. S. D. A. R.

(Mrs. William Cumming Story.)

August 1st, 1913.

We have also successfully accomplished the presentation to the Peace Tribunal at the Hague, authorized by our Executive Board of an International Peace Flag, which many have advocated as the International emblem, the design being a field of white and the Rainbow of Peace.

I secured, through the kind office of Dr. R. S. Friedman, a recognized authority on flags and insignias, a really gorgeous flag, which was formally handed over to me at the City Hall, through the courtesy of the Governor of New York, Hon. William Sulzer, Dr. Friedman,

and Dr. William O. McDowell, with whom the idea really originated.

This banner was in my presence wrapped and addressed to the American Consul at the Hague and sent in care of Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, Dr. Henry Van Dyke, Hon. Bartholdt, ex-Senator Dr. Duras, Baroness Von Sutner, Mrs. Frederick Nathan, and several other distinguished persons whose names I will append later when I can secure the data in detail.

To each of the above I wrote personally in the name of the N. S. D. A. R., commanding to their care our flag and asking their co-operation and interest in the matter of the presentation.

To Dr. Andrew Carnegie I sent the following letter:

Hon. Andrew Carnegie,  
New York City.

My Dear Mr. Carnegie:

In view of the important and practical work that I hope may be accomplished by the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution in support of International Peace and Arbitration I ask in the name of the one hundred thousand members of the Society over which it is my great honor and privilege to preside, that we be permitted to supplement as far as possible the great work that you have brought to such splendid accomplishment, and that you accept the accompanying Rainbow Flag to be hung with the other National Peace Flags, as a symbol of the International Peace you have done so much to establish, and that this rainbow of beautiful promise may convey the suggestion of that sacred promise given to the world by the Prince of Peace.

In reverent consecration to the great cause of Peace, permit me to sign myself,

Faithfully and respectfully yours,

DAISY ALLEN STORY,  
President General, N. S. D. A. R.  
(Mrs. William Cumming Story)

August 4, 1913.

To Dr. Wm. O. McDowell I sent the following letter:

Mr. Wm. O. McDowell, August 4, 1913.  
New York City.

My Dear Mr. McDowell:

As you very naturally will be prominently associated with the important Peace Dedication Ceremonies to take place at the Hague, August 29th, I venture to ask that you will be so kind as to see that the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution be recognized, and its committee on International Peace be represented by Mrs. Frederick Nathan of New York, and Mrs. Phillip N. Moore of St. Louis, Mo., these ladies being the only representatives appointed to represent officially the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution on this interesting and most important occasion.

Thanking you for any courtesy that you may extend to my representatives, I am,

Sincerely yours,

DAISY ALLEN STORY,  
President General, N. S. D. A. R.  
(Mrs. William Cumming Story)

Mrs. Frederick Nathan, a woman of great experience and culture, I appointed as my official representative, and I also appointed Mrs. Daniel Manning and Mrs. Phillip N. Moore as the only official representatives of our Society. I will read a letter of acceptance from the General Secretary of the Permanent Court of Arbitration and also from the Hon. Lloyd Bryce, American Minister.

September 2, 1913.

International Bureau of the Permanent Court of Arbitration.

Madam:

I have the honor of acknowledging your esteemed letter of August 25th, accompanying the very gracious gift which the "National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution of the United States" has been good enough to present to the Permanent Court of Arbitration.

We accept it with gratitude, with my best wishes for the development of your organization which is so interested in the pacifist movement.

Accept, Madam, the assurance of my most distinguished consideration.

(Signed) MICHAELS VAN VERDUGEN,  
General Secretary of the Permanent  
Court of Arbitration.

Madam Maud Nathan, Official Representative  
of the President General and Daughters  
of the American Revolution at the Hague.

The Hague, August 26, 1913.

His Excellency Mr. A. P. C. Karnebeek,  
President of the Carnegie Foundation Fund,  
The Hague.

Dear Mr. de Karnebeek:

Mrs. Frederick Nathan represents the Daughters of the American Revolution, probably one of the most important and largest women's associations in the United States. She has been delegated to represent them at the opening of the Peace Palace, and I am sure your Excellency will send her an invitation for the opening ceremonies on the 28th instant, and oblige, not me so much, but the great and patriotic organization, which she has come all the way here to represent. Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) LLOYD BRICE,  
American Minister.

I have here a report of our representative, Mrs. Frederick Nathan, which I will file but not read at this time, unless you request it. Mrs. Nathan conducted the presentation with great dignity and ability.

I shall leave this meeting to represent our Society at the National Conservation Congress in Knoxville, Tenn., and soon after my return shall start for a trip to the State Conference in a number of the States.

Many important and national gatherings have called for representation by the official head of this great organization and whenever it

is possible for me to go I shall attend, as I feel that we must be a living part of the great movements of the day, and by our presence not only express an interest and co-operation, but also secure the broader knowledge of other organized work that can alone be secured through personal attendance.

I close with cordial greetings and a hearty welcome to my co-workers.

Faithfully yours,

DAISY ALLEN STORY,  
President General, N. S. D. A. R.  
(Mrs. William Cumming Story.)

Moved by the Vice-President General from Pennsylvania, seconded by the Registrar General and the State Regent of Connecticut, *that the President General's request be granted, that she be allowed to omit reading unpleasant letters. Carried.*

The Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters asked for information as to whether, according to the ruling referred to by the President General in her report, it would be possible for a clerk in her office to be detailed to do work in some other office. The President General stated that it was not presumable that the Building and Grounds Committee or any National officer would ask an other officer to neglect the work in her own office to help in some other office, but that the ruling was as she had quoted it, and it had no doubt been prompted by a desire for co-operation.

It was moved by the State Regent of Connecticut, seconded by the State Regent of Georgia, *that the report of the President General be accepted*, which was carried.

The Treasurer General requested that Mrs. Bryan be invited to read her report, and Mrs. Bryan was sent for. By unanimous consent the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters gave her report while waiting for the Treasurer General's to be read.

#### REPORT OF VICE-PRESIDENT GENERAL IN CHARGE OF ORGANIZATION OF CHAPTERS.

October 1, 1913.

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management:

Through their respective State Regents the following Chapter Regents are presented for confirmation:

Mrs. Caroline Broun Marston Robinson, of Bessemer, Alabama.

Mrs. Mary Howard Gridley, of Glendale, Cal.

Mrs. Mary A. M. Gardner, of Webster, Iowa.

Mrs. Minnie Alice L. Pool, of Waverly, Iowa.

Mrs. Jessie Wing Olney, of Ludington, Mich.

Mrs. Eleanor T. Nichols, of St. Louis, Missouri.

Miss Mary W. Morrison, of Ashtabula, Ohio.

Mrs. Mary E. Grumbine, of Alva, Okla.

Mrs. Pearl Wallis Knox, of Houston, Texas.

Mrs. Ella Gordon Carrington, of Lynchburg, Virginia.

Mrs. Mary M. A. Fitzhugh, of Machipongo, Virginia.

Also the reappointment as Organizing Regent of Miss Frances W. Hess, of Norborne, Missouri.

The Board is asked to authorize the formation of Chapters at:

Edgefield, South Carolina.

Ridge Springs, South Carolina.

Union, South Carolina.

San Antonio, Texas.

Morrisville, Vermont.

Thetford, Vermont.

Bel Air, Maryland.

The resignation of Mrs. Frances L. Reynolds, Organizing Regent at Eaton, Colorado, has been reported.

The following Regencies have expired by time limitation:

Mrs. Cornelia L. W. Andrews, of League City, Texas.

Mrs. Harriet West Bragg, of La Junta, Colo.

Miss Mary Virginia Bryan, of Cambridge, Md.

Mrs. Mallie Bowling Glenn, of Norman, Okla.

Mrs. Annie Mae C. Hankins, of Monticello, Ark.

Mrs. Mae E. Jackson, of Wendell, Idaho.

Miss Margaret Michie, of Darlington, S. C.

Mrs. Caroline M. H. Moorhead, of Ocala, Fla.

Mrs. Laura Wright Reeves, of Newton, Iowa.

Mrs. Gertrude Robinson, of Monte Vista, Colo.

Miss Mattie Eleanor Trimble, of Lonoke, Ark.

Mrs. Mary Naomi Brooks, of Casper, Wyo.

The following Chapters are reported for disbandment:

Gen. William Russell, of Paris, Tenn.

Schuylkill Valley, of Pottstown, Penna.

The Chapter forming at Lynchburg, Va., wishes the name of "Poplar Forest," after one of Jefferson's homes located near Lynchburg.

The Chapter organizing at San Antonio petitions the Board for the use of the name "Alamo."

The Decatur (Illinois) Chapter has by formal action at a regular meeting sanctioned a change in the Chapter's name to that of the "Stephen Decatur" Chapter, and petitions the National Board for permission to make this change. It is asked because it differentiates the Decatur, Illinois Chapter from all other present or possible Decatur Chapters in other States, and it also names a National hero.

The Chapter forming at Minneapolis, Minn., asks for the use of the name "Old Trails."

The Chapter forming at Hebron, Neb., wishes the use of the name "Oregon Trails."

The Chapter "Tioga," at Athens, Penna., desires the name changed to "Tioga Point," as it was the name of this valley in Revolutionary times.

Mrs. M. M. Berry, Regent of the "Maj. William Overton Callis" Chapter of the District, wishes to call her Chapter "Col. William Overton Callis," giving a higher rank to the man s're honors.

The Chapter organizing at Waverly, Iowa, petitions the Board for the use of the name "Clock-Reel," which will be their Chapter talisman, being an ancient clock-reel which has "been in my family over 200 years, and which belonged to two Revolutionary fore-mothers of mine."

National Officers' Commissions issued.... 6

Vice-Presidents General Commissions issued 10

State Regents Commissions issued.....	18
State Vice-Regents Commissions issued...	24
Re-election cards to State Regents.....	30
Re-election cards to State Vice-Regents...	22
Organizing Regents Commissions issued .....	18
Charters issued .....	12
Letters received .....	344
Letters written .....	215

CATALOGUE REPORT.

CATALOGUE REPORT.	
Officers lists written for.....	203
Officers lists received .....	287
Members' cards made.....	1412
	(Including 17 conditionals.)
Changes .....	1037
Deaths .....	72
Dropped .....	29
Resigned .....	66
Reinstated .....	18
Marriages .....	163
Admitted membership, October 1, 1913..	102,051
Actual membership, October 1, 1913....	78,219

pectfully submitted,

## FRANCES INGRAHAM MANN.

The statement was made by the President General that there seemed to be some misunderstanding as to the invitation to luncheon, that she wished every member of the Board to be her guest at luncheon at 1.30 that day, and that until that time the reading of reports would be continued.

The President General proffered the request of a member that a chapter be authorized in Houston by Mrs. Claybrook. The Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters stated that she had presented for confirmation in her report the name of Mrs. Knox, and requested that she be allowed to investigate and find out how many chapters there were at present in Houston. The President General stated that the request had come from Mrs. Howard, who, in speaking of this chapter a few days ago had said that she considered there was room for good work down there if

this new chapter was organized and that it would be an advisable measure in her estimation. The State regent of New Jersey thought that no matter where these requests came from the State regent should be informed. The Chaplain General called attention to the fact that the Constitution required that the State regent be notified.

The State regent from Illinois requested that the Vice President General in charge of Organization of chapters incorporate in her report the death of their Real Daughter, Mrs. Regnier, 89 years, 6 months old, member of Mildred Warner Washington Chapter, of Monmouth, Ill., who died Sept. 18, and was buried in Galesburg, Ill., Sunday, Sept. 20, 1913.

The State Regent of North Carolina moved that *Mrs. Mann's report be accepted*. This was seconded by the Vice President General from Pennsylvania and carried.

The report of the Treasurer General was then read:

Madam President General and Members of the  
National Board of Management:

The Caroline Scott Harrison Scholarship Fund is still held by the National Society. The Recording Secretary General has sent me the suggestion made at the Congress by the former President General that this Fund be paid to the Berry School at Rome, Georgia. I have communicated with the Chairman, Mrs. Dinwiddie, and she has authorized the payment of this Fund, \$862.10. Before paying this, I wish to submit the matter to this Board for further authorization.

I recommend that the following established ruling of the Society be strictly adhered to:

That each office (without any exception) transmit daily to the Treasurer General all money received.

No money to be sent to Chapters or individuals except from the Treasurer General's office.

I have the honor to submit the following report of receipts and disbursements from June 1st to September 30, 1913:

#### CURRENT FUND.

Balance in Bank at last report, May 31, 1913 . . . . . \$27,319.00

## RECEIPTS.

Annual dues	\$7,627.00	less	\$644.00	refunded.	\$6,983.00
Initiation Fees	\$1,470.00	less	\$31.00	refunded.	1,439.00
Certificate					2.00
Current Interest					174.85
D. A. R. Report to Smithsonian Institution					12.84
Directory					16.66
Duplicate Papers and Lists					60.92
Early History					.90
Exchange					1.26
Hand Books					10.56
Lineage Books					141.93
Magazine					1.54
Proceedings 19th Continental Congress					.50
Proceedings 21st Continental Congress					.50
Proceedings 22nd Continental Congress					27.17
Ribbon					1.02
Slot Machine					1.45
Stationery					.48
Statute Book					.15
Support Real Daughters, returned					8.00

Telephone .....	7.45
Sale of Decorations (22nd Congress).....	9.30
Refund—House Committee, 22nd Congress.....	16.62
Refund—Flood Sufferers Committee.....	85.72
<b>Total Receipts.....</b>	<b>9,003.82</b>
	<b>\$36,322.82</b>

## EXPENDITURES.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT GENERAL.	
Clerical Service .....	\$360.00
Postage .....	44.00
Telephones .....	11.15
	<b>\$415.15</b>

## OFFICE OF VICE-PRESIDENT GENERAL,

## CHARGE OF ORGANIZATION OF CHAPTERS.

Clerical service .....	520.00
Extra clerical service.....	205.67
Postage and expressage.....	10.72
Telegrams .....	.80
Engrossing 38 Charters .....	20.50
" 77 Commissions .....	30.10
Lithographing 10 Charters.....	7.50
Seals .....	.25
Rubber stamp.....	.10
10,000 cards .....	27.50
1,000 "Methods of Organization".....	8.00
Rent of Typewriter .....	6.00
Repairing Typewriter.....	13.50
	<b>850.64</b>

## OFFICE OF RECORDING SECRETARY GENERAL.

Clerical service .....	330.67
Extra clerical service.....	281.67
Postage .....	1.00
Postals to be printed.....	2.50
1,000 cards .....	6.00
Record Book .....	5.75
Binding Minutes of Continental Hall Committee Meeting	1.75
Telegrams .....	2.50
	<b>631.84</b>

## OFFICE OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY GENERAL.

Clerical service .....	300.00
Postage and expressage .....	48.62
Postals to be printed.....	5.00
Record Book .....	5.75
Repairing rubber stamp .....	.75
Sharpening erasers .....	.20
60,000 application blanks .....	505.00
5,000 Constitutions and By-Laws .....	148.75
Manila envelopes .....	4.73
	<b>1,018.80</b>

## OFFICE OF REGISTRAR GENERAL.

Clerical service .....	2,280.00
Clerical service (Genealogical Department).....	300.00
Record Book .....	4.25
1,000 printed postals .....	12.00
1987 Cards .....	2.98
Stamp and pad .....	1.25
Binding 27 volumes Registrar's Records.....	69.50
	<b>2,669.98</b>

## CERTIFICATE.

Clerical service .....	300.00
Postal and expressage .....	43.46
Record Book .....	7.25
1,400 Certificates .....	102.20
Engrossing 1826 Certificates.....	182.60
	<b>635.51</b>

## OFFICE OF TREASURER GENERAL.

Clerical service .....	2,380.00
Extra clerical service.....	5.00

3 Record Books .....	16.50
4 Receipt Books.....	20.50
5,000 Remittance blanks.....	49.00
300 "Treasurers' Guides" .....	9.00
500 "Models for Treasurers" .....	8.00
500 transfer cards .....	3.25
1,000 Circular letters .....	4.00
8,570 Cards .....	19.35
Sharpening erasers .....	.60
	2,515.20

## OFFICE OF HISTORIAN GENERAL

Clerical service .....	640.30
Postage .....	10.00

## OFFICE OF ASSISTANT HISTORIAN GENERAL.

Postage and expressage.....	35.75
	35.75

## OFFICE OF LIBRARIAN GENERAL.

Clerical service .....	\$300.00
Postage and drayage.....	1.25
Binding 28 volumes.....	31.65
"Virginia Magazine History and Biography" .....	5.00

## GENERAL OFFICE.

Clerical service .....	300.00
Extra clerical service.....	18.00
Messenger .....	89.20
Car fare, messenger.....	5.00
15,000 stamped envelopes.....	322.80
Postage .....	11.01
Overdue postage .....	5.00
Supplies .....	131.96
Rubber stamp .....	.10
"Roberts' Rules of Order" .....	.65
Drayage and expressage.....	1.65
Repairs to wheel.....	.30
Wreath, telegram and expressage, Mrs. Cumings.....	11.82
Cable, Peace Conference, The Hague.....	4.20
Committee, Building and Grounds, Telegram.....	1.88
" Children and Sons of the Republic:	
150 Copies Annual Report....	\$42.75
Advance .....	52.37
	95.12
" Continental Hall:	
Postage .....	2.00
Blank books .....	2.75
Pads .....	.25
1,000 stamped envelopes.....	21.04
	26.04
" Finance:	
Postals .....	.15
" Historic Spots:	
Typewriting .....	7.00
Postage .....	5.60
Decorating Monument of Gen.	
Lafayette .....	25.00
Decorating Monument of Gen.	
von Steuben.....	10.00
	47.60
" Patriotic Education:	
Annapolis Cup .....	110.00
250 Copies Annual Report....	81.50
Special Notices, Flag Day...	2.85
	194.35
" Revision of Constitution and By-	
Laws:	
2,900 Copies .....	91.04
Telegram .....	.80
	91.84
" Welfare Women and Children:	
250 Copies Annual Report	48.00
	1,406.67

## EXPENSE CONTINENTAL HALL.

Superintendent .....	\$434.76
Mechanic .....	215.00
Watchman .....	240.00
Guide .....	170.00
Telephone Operator .....	140.00
Cleaners .....	637.22
Electric Current .....	113.56
Water Rent .....	20.06
Hauling three loads ashes .....	3.00
Ice .....	44.78
Towel Service .....	20.40
Hardware .....	5.09
2 Lawn sprinklers .....	1.50
Ax .....	1.12
2 wrenches and wire brush .....	1.48
Scoop .....	1.13
1 Electric stove .....	3.40
Waste can .....	2.00
Carbage can .....	.45
12 Scrub brushes and 12 cloths .....	2.31
Tape .....	.70
Packing, wicks and matches .....	1.97
Barrel soap powder .....	10.29
1 gallon disinfectant .....	1.75
1 gallon Solarine .....	1.13
12 mops .....	3.24
65½ yards cheese cloth .....	2.95
Cleaning 26 pairs lace curtains .....	19.50
Citronella .....	.85
Ammonia .....	.60
Gasoline and kerosene .....	3.15
Paints, oils, sandpaper, grease, glue and wax .....	17.70
Valve—elevator pump .....	2.00
Slip covers—California Room .....	17.05
Sheeting to shade Auditorium .....	24.90
Expressage and freight .....	3.66
	2,168.70

## PRINTING MACHINE.

Roller .....	3.00
Ink .....	4.99
Paper—General Office .....	14.65
Electro " "	.30
" Composition and paper, Corresponding Secretary .....	32.78
" Composition, Recording Secretary .....	1.80
" Composition and paper, Treasurer General .....	10.70
Paper, Registrar General .....	1.65
1,000 Cards, Recording Secretary .....	2.00
1,000 " Continental Hall Committee .....	2.00
Printer .....	13.95
	87.82

## MAGAZINE.

Lists to Publisher .....	1.75
Mounts for screen .....	3.00
Photograph .....	1.00
Postage, Chairman .....	17.38
Telegrams " .....	1.78
Messenger and telephone, Chairman .....	1.70
Railroad fare—Greenwich to New York and return, Chairman .....	5.20
Salary, Editor and clerk .....	400.00
P. stage and expressage, Editor .....	8.90
Telegrams, Editor .....	7.75
300 printed postals, Editor .....	4.25
Expense, "Notes and Queries" .....	120.00
5,000 cards, Genealogical Editor .....	3.75
Expressage old magazines .....	.95
	577.41

## SUPPORT REAL DAUGHTERS.

Support 39 Real Daughters, June .....	312.00
" 40 " " July .....	320.00
" 41 " " August .....	328.00
" 41 " " September .....	328.00

1,288.00

## FURNITURE, FIXTURES AND EQUIPMENT.

Cabinet—Recording Secretary General .....	8.75
" Registrar General .....	7.00
Typewriter, Genealogical Editor .....	87.75

103.50

## AUDITING ACCOUNTS.

Audits, April, May, June and July .....	250.00
Annual Report .....	133.25

383.25

## STATE REGENTS' POSTAGE.

State Regent, Maryland .....	12.00
" " Minnesota .....	10.00
" " New Hampshire .....	3.00
" " Oregon .....	6.00

31.00

## STATIONERY, NATIONAL OFFICERS, COMMITTEES AND MAGAZINE.

President General .....	86.40
Vice President General, C. O. C. .....	18.50
Recording Secretary General .....	19.80
Corresponding Secretary General .....	26.00
Registrar General .....	21.50
Treasurer General .....	29.80
Historian General .....	19.05
Assistant Historian General .....	10.20
Librarian General .....	19.65
Former Chaplain General .....	3.40
General Office .....	21.90
Chairman, Magazine Committee .....	14.30
Genealogical Editor, Magazine .....	11.00
Chairman, Revolutionary Relics Committee .....	3.90

305.40

## STATIONERY, STATE REGENTS.

State Regent, Arizona .....	7.20
" " Arkansas .....	9.00
" " Connecticut .....	7.60
" " Missouri .....	4.80
" " Nebraska .....	10.40
" " Pennsylvania .....	5.60
" " Virginia .....	12.10
" " West Virginia .....	6.80

63.50

## TELEPHONE.

Telephone service and toll .....	114.87
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114.87

## TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS

Rent of Typewriter, <i>Credential Committee</i> .....	12.00
Flowers for Platform, <i>House Committee</i> .....	7.00
Decorations, <i>House Committee</i> .....	82.80
2 Storm Flags for decorations, <i>House Committee</i> .....	6.00
3 Sign markers, <i>House Committee</i> .....	8.75
Precentor, <i>Music Committee</i> .....	25.00
Spoons, 113 Pages .....	169.50
7,000 Programs, <i>Program Committee</i> .....	365.00
4,000 "Proposed Amendments" and postage .....	30.70

706.75

## "PROCEEDINGS," TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

1,600 copies, wrapping and addressing .....	2,026.20
Postage and expressage .....	278.87
Cab service .....	2.30

2,307.37

## D. A. R. REPORT.

Volumes 2 and 3 .....	3.00
Postage .....	2.00

5.00

## DIRECTORY.

Postage and expressage.....	10.05	
Order cancelled .....	1.00	11.05
LINEAGE.		
Postage and expressage.....	25.92	25.92
Total Expenditures.....		\$19,347.28

Balance on hand September 30, 1913..... \$16,975.54

On deposit in National Metropolitan Bank.....	\$16,975.54
Petty Cash Fund.....	\$500.00

## EMILY NELSON RITCHIE MCLEAN HISTORICAL FUND.

As at last report, May 31, 1913.....	\$1,425.50	\$1,425.50
As at last report, May 31, 1913.....	\$206.55	\$206.55

## FRANCO-AMERICAN FUND.

As at last report, May 31, 1913.....	\$206.55	\$206.55
RECEIPTS.		

Army and Navy Chapter, D. C.....	15.00	
Mrs. George Pierce, Presque Isle Chapter, Pa.....	5.00	
Mrs. J. M. Dickinson, Cumberland Chapter, Tenn.....	5.00	
Philippines Chapter, P. I.....	10.00	35.00
On hand September 30, 1913.....		\$67.00

## PATRIOTIC EDUCATION.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand last report May 31, 1913..... (School not assigned)	\$35.00
Marana Norton Brooks Chapter, Conn.....	50.00
Mary Floyd Tallmadge Chapter, Conn.....	50.00
Nathan Hale Memorial Chapter, Conn.....	25.00
Mary Barlett Chapter, D. C.....	25.00
Susan Riviere Hetzel Chapter, D. C.....	5.00
Wendell Wolfe Chapter, D. C.....	50.00
Aurora Chapter, Ill.....	4.35
Puritan and Cavalier Chapter, Ill.....	14.35
General Francis Marion Chapter, Ind.....	25.00
Abigail Adams Chapter, Iowa.....	10.00
Ruth Sayre Chapter, Mich.....	10.00
Omaha Chapter, Neb.....	1.00
Monmouth Chapter, N. J.....	25.00
Ohio Chapters, Ohio.....	39.00
Fort Findlay Chapter, Ohio.....	20.00
Bristol Chapter, R. I.....	50.00
John Sevier Chapter, Tenn.....	10.00
Margaret Gaston Chapter, Tenn.....	5.00
Watauga Chapter, Tenn.....	20.00
	\$473.70

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Berry School, Ga.....	\$100.00
W. C. T. U. Settlement School, Ky.....	38.70
Asheville Industrial School, N. C.....	25.00
Dorothy Sharpe School, N. C.....	10.00
Maryville College, Tenn.....	125.00
Tennessee D. A. R. School, Tenn.....	70.00
Rev. Josiah Ellis School, Va.....	5.00
Southern Industrial Educational Association.....	60.00
Mrs. Ida V. Woodbury—Field Secretary.....	40.00
	\$473.70

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE PERMANENT FUND.  
Balance in Bank at last report May 31, 1913..... \$7,564.45

## RECEIPTS.

Charter Fees.....	\$45.00
Life Membership Fees.....	550.00

## CONTINENTAL HALL CONTRIBUTIONS.

E. L. Crandall—Commission on Photos, D. C. ....	\$11.00
Huntington Chapter—Changing inscription on plate President General's Chair Room, Ind. ....	1.90
Lone Tree Chapter, Ind. ....	20.50
Vanderburgh Chapter Ind. ....	25.00
John Marshall Chapter—Furnishings, Retiring Room—Box, Ky. ....	158.75
Bunker Hill Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	2.00
Capt. John Pulling Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	2.00
Col. Henshaw Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	2.00
Dolly Woodbridge Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	25.00
Fort Phoenix Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	5.00
Franklin Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	10.00
Franklin Chapter Fund, Mass. ....	15.00
Mrs. Edward B. Kellogg—John Hancock Chapter—upholstering chair—Room, Mass. ....	10.25
Lucy Knox Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	10.00
Mary Mattoon Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	2.00
Old Hadley Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	3.00
Old Oak Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	5.00
Samuel Adams Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	3.00
Susannah Tufts Chapter—Room, Mass. ....	5.00
Miss Hattie B. Crawford—Ruth Page Chapter, N. H. ....	.50
Mrs. Eva B. Douglas—Essex Chapter, N. J. ....	50.00
Miami Chapter, Ohio. ....	5.00
Mrs. Samuel W. Jamison—Margaret Lynn Lewis Chapter—Room, Va. ....	30.00
Great Bridge Chapter—Fender, Room, Va. ....	26.00
Mrs. E. M. Stevens, Va. ....	12.00

439.90

31.30

Commission on Recognition Pins.....

Use of Building	
Brotherhood—Locomotive, Firemen and Engineers	54.70
Central High School.....	47.95
George Washington University.....	65.50
Washington College of Law.....	41.90

210.05

Interest on Bank Balance.....

42.48

Total Receipts.....

\$1,318.73

## EXPENDITURES.

Continental Hall Contribution returned, Elizabeth Benton Chapter, Mo. ....	\$25.00
Life Membership Fees refunded, Ninian Edwards Chapter, Ill. ....	12.50
Beukendaal Chapter, N. Y. ....	25.00
London Chapter, Ohio. ....	12.50
Interest on Bills Payable.....	50.00
Banquet Hall State Spoons—Illinois, Kansas and Kentucky	3,000.00
Changing inscription, chair plate Huntington Chapter—Room, Ind. ....	45.00
Furniture—Retiring Room—John Marshall Chapter—Box, Ky. ....	1.90
Portiere—Retiring Room—Col. Timothy Bigelow Chapter—Box, Mass. ....	158.75
Rug, draperies, electric fixtures, decorations and carpeting furniture, Room, Mass. ....	32.00
Upholstering chair—Room, Mass. ....	762.00
Freight, storage, Custom House entry and cartage, Coat of-arms—Room, Va. ....	10.25
Total Expenditures.....	50.76
Balance on hand September 30, 1913	\$4,135.66
On deposit in American Security and Trust Company Bank	\$4,747.52
	\$4,747.52

Cash balance on deposit in Bank, September 30, 1913.	\$4,747.52
Permanent Investment, Chicago and Alton Bonds.....	\$2,314.84
Total Permanent Fund, Cash and investment.....	\$7,062.36

Respectfully,  
OLIVE POWELL RANSDELL  
Treasurer General.  
N. S. D. A. R.

Total number of members deceased, 225; resigned, 147; dropped, 195; to be reinstated, 17.

The State Regent of the District of Columbia asked whether the item of \$89 for messengers did not include those called during Congress, and was told that the item referred to the salary of the messenger in regular employ.

The Board rose as an expression of sorrow for those members reported by the Treasurer General as deceased.

The Chaplain General said she desired to offer a motion accepting this report—the Treasurer General had been successful in giving them a report in black and white that they could all understand so that they knew just what they had spent and what they had left. Her motion, which was the acceptance of the Treasurer General's report, and also that thanks for her concise and understandable report be given, was seconded by the Librarian General and carried. Moved by the Registrar General, seconded by the Librarian General that resignations be accepted as reported by the Treasurer General. Carried.

On request of the President General, the motion was made by the Vice President General from Pennsylvania, seconded by the Registrar General, and carried, that the request of Mrs. Esther C. Davenport to be reinstated in the usual manner be granted.

Referring to the recommendation of the Caroline Scott Harrison Scholarship Fund, at the suggestion of the President General, that disposal be made of it as requested by the Chairman of that Committee, it was moved by the Vice President General from Georgia, seconded by the Assistant Historian General and the State Regent of Georgia, and carried, that recommendation of Caroline Scott Harrison Committee to pay amount of \$862.10 to Martha Berry School be adopted.

It was also moved by the Librarian General, seconded by the Registrar General, that the recommendation of the Treasurer General be accepted and that she be authorized to pay one of our outstanding Bonds as soon as she has the funds in the office to enable her to do so.

The President General referred to the large sums in the Treasurer General's report for stationery, and requested authorization to notify Caldwell & Company now, that at the end of the twelve months required as notice, the contract with them would be terminated, as it might be possible to effect a considerable saving in this one item were the Society free to buy where they could get the best price, though this action would not necessarily mean that the order might not again be given to Caldwell.

The motion that the President General be authorized to notify Caldwell that the present contract will be canceled at the close of present term, was made by the Vice President General from Pennsylvania, seconded by the Historian General, and carried. The President General called attention to the fact that many of the contracts now in force are self-renewing and it is not possible to cancel them without due notice. The following motion, by the State Regent of the District of Columbia, seconded by the Vice President General from Pennsylvania, that the President General be empowered to annul all and any contracts when her judgment she deems necessary to do so, was carried.

The Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters reported that he lady whose name was given to the President General was on a Chapter roll. She stated that it was very important that requests for organizing regents come from the State Regents, whose requests cannot even sometimes be granted; the President General asked, therefore, that this information be conveyed to her correspondent by the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters.

#### REPORT OF THE RECORDING SECRETARY GENERAL, N. S. D. A. R., FROM JUNE 4 TO OCTOBER 1, 1913.

Madam President General, and Members of the Board of Management:

I will try to make as brief a report as is possible, as we know that of necessity this must be a very active day after the Summer vacation, and that time is at a premium. Each day in our office was a busy one, an effort being made to bring all past affairs up to date, and in a measure to prepare ourselves for future demands.

Following the June Board Meeting, the Minutes were gotten out for the Magazine, the verbatim report of the meeting typewritten, and copies made of the rulings pertaining to each office and National Committee. The proof was read for all the official pages in the Magazine. At the request of the President General, copies of the most important contracts now in force were made and sent to her, a duplicate copy being made for the Finance Committee.

A great amount of routine business has been cared for, as the following items will testify. From June 4, to October 1, there have been: Letters received ..... 481

Letters written .....	221
Cards written .....	91
Notification cards of membership, sent to new members, admitted June 4....	989
Charters signed .....	12
Certificates of membership signed.....	1,085
Commissions to State Regents.....	18
Commissions to Chapter Regents.....	18
Re-election notifications to State Regents .....	30
Re-election notifications to State Vice- Regents .....	24
Letters of condolence have been personally written by the Recording Secretary General to the families of Mrs. Henry H. Cumings, the late State Regent of Penna.; Mrs. William Lindsay (on her Mother's death), and to the family of Mrs. Charles H. Deere, Honorary V. P. G. of Illinois.	
Notices of Board Meetings sent out—	
June 4 meeting.....	81
Oct. 1 meeting.....	81
Invitations to the Memorial Continental Hall Committee Meeting, held on Sept. 30 .....	81
Some of the notices of a Magazine Committee meeting having also gone out from this office.	
Regrets have been received for Oct. 1 Board Meeting, and filed.	
Committee appointments mailed.....	1,665
Committee acceptances filed.....	919

The following invitations to the Board and National Society have come, and answers sent in response to those not necessary to be brought before the Board for discussion and decision. One from the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen, of the Washington Memorial Chapel, to attend the Celebration of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Anniversary of the Evacuation of Valley Forge, by the American Army. "The Unveiling of the New Jersey State Panel" in the roof of the Republic of the Washington Memorial Chapel, in memory of Miss Ellen Mecum, Vice-President General of New Jersey, Thursday, June 19, 1913, at 3.30 p. m.

One to take part in and to reserve space in which to exhibit Revolutionary Relics at the Panama Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco (and a letter from Mrs. John F. Swift, Vice-President General of California regarding 1915 Congress, being held in San Francisco), Mrs. Swift having been chosen by the Panama Pacific Commission to act as Chairman in California for the N. S. D. A. R. One from Mrs. Joseph A. De Boer, State Regent of Vermont, to attend a conference to be held at Brattleboro, Vt. A letter of invitation from Miss Mary Boyce Temple, Chairman, Woman's Department The National Conservation Exposition, Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 3, D. A. R. day, our President General to be present. One from Mrs. Edwin H. Van Ostrand, State Regent of Wisconsin, to attend the State Conference, on October fourteenth and fifteenth. One from the Lamb Studios, of New York City, to view on August 23, before their shipment, four tablets, to be erected in four cities of the Netherlands as tokens of friendship from religious and patriotic societies having had repre-

sentation at the Hague. The Sons presented one as a return courtesy for former favors.

The following gifts have been presented to, and received by, the National Society:

From Miss Mary Gansevoort Van Vranken, Regent Boudinot Chapter, N. J., forwarded to the Recording Secretary General, the deed to a plot of ground, with Marker on it (see Aug. No. of the Magazine) erected by the Boudinot Chapter, Borough of Roselle Park, N. J. Deed is in the lock box of the Recording Secretary General, in the Treasurer's vault and may be examined by those Daughters particularly interested in it.

On June 25 there was sent by the Executor, a miniature ivory, framed in gold, of Linda Olney Wilbour (Mrs. Joshua Wilbour), Honorary Vice-President General, of R. I. This was referred to the Treasurer's Office, and instructed by that office to refer it to the Business Office ("Building and Grounds Committee"), which was done.

This miniature of the lovely Linda is now on exhibition in Continental Hall; those who have looked upon its lasting beauty have been stirred with long forgotten memories and day dreams.

A letter has been received from Mrs. Eva B. Douglas, (R. D.) Blythwood, Llewellyn Park, N. J., enclosing check for \$50 made out to the order of the President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story, to be used toward expenses of the Memorial Continental Hall Committee.

Letters and leaflets have been received telling of different state and chapter activities and interesting events.

A letter from Miss Helen E. C. Overton, Bellefonte, Pa., State Regent, Pa., concerning her appreciation of the kindness of the Board and others, in helping her when the responsibilities of the position as State Regent were so suddenly thrust upon her by the tragic death of Mrs. Cumings.

A letter from Mrs. H. R. Howell, State Regent, Iowa, regarding the appointment of Mrs. Drayton W. Bushnell, as Honorary Vice-President General, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mrs. Deere of Illinois.

A letter from Mrs. Egbert Jones, in appreciation of courtesy extended by the Congress.

A copy of a letter from Mrs. Amos G. Draper, which was sent to all State Regents, enclosing article by J. T. Ainslie Walker, on daily disinfestation of schools.

A leaflet on the "Operation of Present Immigration Law," presented by Mr. Lodge.

A leaflet on The Tariff, Organized Labor and Immigration, a speech prepared by Hon. John L. Burnett.

"Proceedings of the 15th Conference" of the Georgia Chapters, N. S. D. A. R., from Mrs. Sheppard W. Foster, 711 Peachtree St., Atlanta, Ga.

An original song from P. A. Sharkey. Newspaper, giving list of new officers of Lucinda Hinsdale Stone Chapter, of Kalamazoo, Mich., and accounts of positions held in National Society by Kalamazoo women, sent by the new Regent, Miss Alice Louise McDuffee.

A copy of the Tidioute, Penna., News, dated June 27, 1913, giving a picture of the late Mrs. Cumings, State Regent of Pennsylvania, and story of her life and death.

A copy of Washington Chapel Chronicle, Valley Forge, Penna., giving account of dedication of Commander in Chief's door, donated by Colonial Dames of America. Chapter II, Philadelphia.

Richardson and Richardson, Historical Biographers and Genealogists, Baltimore, Md., have sent a description of their book, "Side-Lights on Maryland History."

A Flag Day program sent by Mrs. William Warren Abbott, of the Chicago Chapter, and Year Books from the following Chapters:

Peterborough Chapter, Peterborough, N. H.  
Oakland Chapter, Oakland, Calif.

Guthrie Center Chapter, Guthrie Center, Iowa.

Samuel Ashley Chapter, Claremont, N. H.

Rebecca Bryan Boone Chapter, Newport, Kentucky.

George Clinton Chapter, Wilmington, Ohio.  
Narcissa Whitman Chapter, North Yakima, Washington.

Mercy Warren Chapter, Springfield, Mass.  
Brunswick Chapter, Brunswick, Georgia.

Booklet containing a list of the officers and members and a special program of the "Ethan Allen" Chapter, Middlebury, Vermont.

Leaflet from the Ottawa Chapter, Port Huron, Mich.

Booklet with the compliments of the compiler, Miss Marion Howard Brazier, "The Ex-Regents Club," D. A. R. of Boston, Mass., 1912-1913.

Invitation from the Colbert Chapter, to witness the unveiling of the Miss-Ala. Memorial to Natchez Trace, Tuscaloosa, Ala. Pageant of Machias Valley, A Pageant of the Lumber Lands.

Orders for the re-print of the Constitution and the printing of the "Proposed Amendments" were sent to the Business Office, and from there to the printer, The "Proposed Amendments" were mailed within the time limit, from the office of the Corresponding Secretary General.

In the absence of the Secretary of the Finance Committee, three of the meetings of that Committee were reported by the Official Stenographer, and the minutes transcribed. Much of the correspondence for the Building and Grounds Committee during the Summer months and the vacation periods was also done in this office.

In order that it might be known just where every paper in charge of the Recording Secretary General was kept, and that these papers might be easily found, it was planned by the force of this office that during the Summer they would install a card index system, which would be kept in the office, and contain a description of every paper in our care, whether kept in the locker in the basement, in the vault in the Treasurer General's office, or the various book cases. This has been accomplished, as a few hours' work would bring it up to date. So the card index is virtually completed.

The method of filing the correspondence was also simplified, and made more businesslike, for instead of having a file of "letters received" in one box, and "letters answered" in another, one box in one place, the other in another, the whole correspondence is now together for ready and easy reference. This may sound like very little, but the clerk and official stenographer spent many hot days in the basement locker and large supply closet to accomplish it, but we are all well satisfied to have made the effort, the result is so pleasing to us.

Through it all the work of sending out the appointments for the different committees has gone steadily on, the lists arranged for the printer and copies made, and the acceptances and regrets recorded.

Respectfully submitted,  
(Signed) ABBIE WILLIAMS R. BOYLE,  
Recording Secretary General,  
N. S. D. A. R.

Moved by Vice President General from Alabama, seconded by State Regent of New Jersey, and carried, that the report of the Recording Secretary General be accepted.

The Vice President General from Pennsylvania moved that as this was the first Board meeting held since the tragic death of Mrs. Cumings some word of sympathy be sent by the Board to the family and the State Regent of Pennsylvania. Seconded by the Registrar General, and carried. The Recording Secretary General stated that she had already on behalf of the National Board sent a letter of sympathy, and that flowers and expressions of sympathy were sent from Continental Hall by the two committees who happened to be in session when the sad news was received.

The State Regent of Delaware reported the death of two of their Daughters, Francelia E. Hatch Rissel and Mary Winder Miller, and requested that the Board stand a moment in expression of sorrow, and that resolutions of sympathy be sent to the two families.

The request of the State Regent of Georgia, that the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters appoint Mrs. Fannie W. Price as organizing regent at Tallapoosa, Georgia, was approved.

AFTERNOON SESSION.  
Registrar General read her report, as follows:

REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL,  
N. S. D. A. R., OCTOBER 1ST, 1913.

Madam President General, Members of the National Board of Management, I have the honor to report the following:  
Applications presented to the Board... 1,395  
Conditionally ..... 17

Total .....	1,412
Supplemental applications verified.....	449
Original papers returned unverified...	11
Supplemental papers returned unverified	119
Permits for the Insignia issued.....	480
Permits for the Ancestral Bars issued..	244
Permits for the Recognition Pins issued.	398
Applications of Real Daughters presented	1

Number of Letters, including Duplicate Papers, issued .....	3,259
Number of Cards issued .....	2,024
Original Papers examined, and not yet verified .....	459
Supplemental Papers examined, and not yet verified .....	655
New Records verified.....	386
Certificates issued .....	1,085
Original Papers awaiting Notary's Seal .....	15
Supplemental Papers awaiting Notary's Seal .....	6
Total number of Papers verified.....	1,882
Number of Applications copied...150—\$37.50	
Number of Lists copied.....	0

Respectfully submitted,

CATHERINE E. B. BRUMBAUGH,  
Registrar General, N. S. D. A. R.

On motion of the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, seconded by State Regent of Delaware, *the Registrar General's report be accepted and the Recording Secretary General cast the ballot for these members*, was carried.

At the request of the Chairman of Building and Grounds Committee that Mrs. Ludlow, secretary of that Committee, be permitted to be present during the reading of her report, the following motion by the Treasurer General, seconded by the State Vice Regent of Indiana, *that Mrs. Richardson's Secretary, Mrs. Ludlow, be present during the reading of her report*, was carried.

The President General made the announcement that the Honorary President General, Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, was in a carriage at the door and had sent for her, but she had sent the request of the Board that Mrs. Fairbanks honor the Board by her presence. The Librarian General was appointed by the President General to go for Mrs. Fairbanks. When the Honorary President General appeared the Board rose and remained standing during the welcome by the President General and the greeting from Mrs. Fairbanks.

The President General said to the Board: It is really a red-letter day for our Society, and I am sure the welcome that is in your hearts you can hardly express.

Mrs. Fairbanks: I really did not expect to meet the Board, but it is a great pleasure to me to be in this building in which I have had a meeting once before. It pleases me beyond measure to meet this darling lady, the President General. While I have been pleased to meet you all, it does seem a little strange to me not to see more faces with which I was familiar eight years ago—there are a good many after all—but still the Board meeting is larger than it used to be.

President General: There are more states.

Mrs. Fairbanks: Well, I am delighted to see you all, even if I had never seen one of you before. We have an invisible tie, the tie of sisterhood and the tie of great work in the great cause. The Daughters of the American Revolution are doing a great work, and I hope that you all feel in the fullest degree in your hearts how great the work it that you may do.

We need splendid women to point out splendid ideals to the men of this country. They need them. I like many of them—I think they are grand; but they need high ideals; we all need high ideals. We need to teach the poor and the needy, the immigrant coming to our shores claiming that greatest of all privileges, the vote, to teach them to be worthy of that vote.

President General: We are just about to hear the report of the Chairman of the Building and Grounds Committee, the Committee that has in charge the keeping up of this beautiful building with which you are so intimately associated, and just yesterday at the ivy planting I referred to the fact that you had taken up the first shovelful of dirt in breaking the ground for this building. The Chairman of this Committee is the State Regent of the District of Columbia, but she is so important to me as the Building and Grounds Committee Chairman that I have so introduced her.

#### REPORT OF BUILDING AND GROUNDS COMMITTEE.

We desire to thank you, Madam President General, for the splendid committee you have given us for the Building and Grounds.

This Committee has held meetings regularly every Tuesday. The work has, up to date, been divided up as follows: Miss Grace M. Pierce, Vice Chairman, in charge of rooms and clerks; Mrs. Ludlow, Secretary, also in charge of purchasing supplies. These purchases have been made only after competition has been invited. Mrs. Howard, in charge of Superintendent and employees under him; Miss Barlow, in charge of flags and outside decorations; Mrs. Smoot, in making inventory of the contents of the Hall; Mrs. Smallwood, advisory to the Committee in regard to writing resolutions, etc.; Mrs. Spencer, in charge of the Welfare Department of the building; and Miss Grace Lincoln Temple, advisory on interior decorations.

The inventory, which had been ordered by the previous Board, has been taken up and completed by Mrs. Smoot, and we now have a complete list of the contents of the building—from the carpenter shop to the museum.

Finding a lack of co-operation on the part of the former superintendent, and a want of respect for the organization which he was serving, and handicapped by his constant excuses for his failure to carry out the instructions of this Committee, we were forced to dismiss him.

He constantly indulged in criticism of the business methods of the past administration, especially in regard to his claim that they went out of office owing him \$300.

When he undertook to complain of his treatment at their hands, the Building and Grounds Committee informed him that anything pertaining to the former Committee or administration was a closed incident, that we did not believe the past administration or its Building and Grounds Committee would go out of office owing him this debt, and we consulted an attorney as to whether his claim was just.

We have been fortunate enough to secure, at a salary of \$25 a month less, a man who has been trained from boyhood in work required

by this position under the best builder that Washington has ever known, and so far he seems to be satisfactory. We ask for the approval of the Board in this action. Mr. Phillips comes in under contract and a \$1,000 bond.

Under this new Superintendent we have started at the top of the building to put things in condition. We have had the roof over the main building, which was leaking very badly, repaired at a cost of \$58. This does not include the glass covering for the auditorium, which will be taken up under a recommendation from this Committee.

We have also had the furnace inspected by an expert, and one set of new grates ordered at a cost of \$68.

The most important thing that has been undertaken by this Committee during the summer was the draining of the furnace room and fresh air chamber. We found that there was no cesspool in the areaway immediately in front of the furnace room. Every time it rained the water would flow under the door of the furnace room and down the steps into the room, thus flooding it. This, we understood, occurred after every rain. We also found that in the fresh air chamber, which is lower than the area, water stood the year around, breeding mosquitoes and malaria from the stagnant water, the germ-laden air from which was fanned into the room every time the fan was used. Semi-occasionally the hose was put in and the water pumped out. We were told that a method of remedying this condition had never been suggested. Our new superintendent, being a practical builder, stated that a cesspool could be placed at the furnace room door with a pipe leading down to the sunk pit. A three inch pipe also was constructed from the fresh air chamber to drain the water from that room into this sunk pit in the furnace room, and then an automatic cellar drain is being installed which pumps all the water up into the area, which will thus give us for the first time in the history of the building a dry furnace room, thus saving our machinery, and a dry air chamber, which will now permit us to have pure air fanned into the building. This work will have been done at a cost of \$154.59.

While the old condition existed the plant was being damaged and the health of the occupants of the building endangered. After the great storm during the summer so much water was let in the foundation of the building was jeopardized. This obtained after every storm of any duration, the area being wide, much lower than the sewer, and no outlet being allowed for. The men were formerly given rubber boots, which they wore when they attended to the furnace.

In compliance with the order of the Executive Committee to arrange immediately for the repair of the roof, we submit the following propositions. As this matter seems such a serious one, we thought best to present the different plans to the Board for its consideration.

It is a matter of common knowledge that the roof has never been weatherproof since it was

put on, and it seemed to be useless to have it patched again. After the great storm during the summer there were several pieces of glass blown out, and a flood of water came down into the building. The roof has been examined by two or three people, and the recommendations we present are from one who is considered an expert throughout the country for roofs of this character on handsome buildings.

The first proposition is simply to mend the skylight at a cost of \$42.00—that is, to repair the broken glass.

The second estimate, calling for an expenditure of \$367.00, or \$487.00, according to the method, provides for the repairs being made in such a way as to ensure a greater degree of permanency, though not guaranteed to withstand any great storm. On the present structure there could be no guarantee for any repairs.

The third plan would be to take off the entire roof and put on one that is guaranteed of the style that is used on buildings of the value of ours. The price for this would be from \$2,000 to \$2,700, according to the method employed.

Carrying out the instructions of the President General to modify in some way the glare from the skylight, Miss Grace Lincoln Temple, advisory on interior decorations, took the matter up with those in charge in the different government buildings where they have a like condition, and we are happy to report that it is now being adjusted, and will be perfectly satisfactory if the same roof is kept on.

The Building and Grounds Committee ask the approval of the National Board with respect to the repair and alteration of the driveway. It is absolutely necessary to have the repairing done, and we therefore had the bids include the price for making the alterations required in order to prevent a repetition of the damage. This damage was caused by the lack of width, it not being possible for a large automobile or transfer wagon to clear the curb. This has been a matter of annoyance ever since the building was finished. On examination it was found that much of the ground underneath had caved in, consequently making the job much more expensive than it would otherwise be. Out of several bids, the lowest was \$245.00 to make the repairs and replace the cement drive for a distance of 42 feet on each side.

This Committee would like to be empowered to buy a machine for baling the waste paper. The price of such a machine would be \$40, and it is the opinion of the Superintendent that from the amount of paper that is collected throughout the building every day the machine would pay for itself in one year. It is some risk through danger from fire to keep the waste paper in the basement, besides being contrary to the fire regulations of the District of Columbia. There is really no practical way of getting rid of the waste paper except by baling it, thereby converting it into a small source of revenue.

The burning of such large quantities of paper in the furnace tended to damage the grate, and when burned in the lot back of the

building it caused great discomfort to the clerks and defacement to the building.

Complying with the request of the President General, we obtained the Peace Flag and sent it to Col. Goethals of the Isthmian Canal Commission.

In this connection, we have the honor to report that all flags belonging to the National Society are now in the Hall, for the first time, where, in the judgment of the Committee, they should in the future be kept.

In accordance with the motion presented by the Registrar General at the June Board meeting, seconded by Mrs. Kite, which we quote as follows:

*That on account of the congested condition in some of the offices some of the clerks be transferred from overcrowded rooms to rooms not now occupied.*

Miss Grace M. Pierce, in charge of rooms and clerks, moved two clerks from the overcrowded Treasurer General's office to the unused California room. In trying to effect the same change in the much more congested Registrar General's office she met with an objection from the National Officer in charge. We requested the Registrar General to meet with us in order to adjust this matter, and, finding we could not arrange matters, we leave it in the hands of the National Board.

As the Registrar General raised the point that an appointive body had not the authority to regulate the office of a National Officer in these details, the Building and Grounds Committee would like to have some ruling on this point for its future guidance.

To illustrate the great need of such a revision of the Statutes as is advocated by the President General, this Committee is constantly having things brought up to it that were in order under the Supervision Committee, and it is not understood that they are obsolete. Even the regulations that were in vogue at the old offices at 9th and F are quoted, and in the minds of a great many people these things still hold good.

Recommendation for changing manner of paying house help:

We ask the authority of the Board to change the manner of paying the help back to the former methods of having these payments come directly from the Treasurer General's office by check. In this way, the Society would eliminate the double work of the clerks, the vouchers, checking, etc.

Recommendation for money from use of Hall to go to Treasurer General's office.

We also desire to be instructed by the Board that all the financial part of the transaction for the use of the auditorium for entertainments, etc., be carried on in the Treasurer General's office; the Superintendent merely keeping the time of the people employed, all expenses incurred being paid from the Treasurer General's office, the balance to be returned to the parties using the auditorium. In this way the printed report of the Treasurer General will show exactly what was received for the use of the auditorium in each case.

The Building and Grounds Committee recommend that Mrs. Alice B. Fishburne, the clerk

in the office of the Recording Secretary General, be restored to her former salary of \$75 per month, from October 1, in accordance with the request of the Recording Secretary General.

We further recommend that Mrs. Hallie C. Chun, a clerk in the office of the Registrar General, be promoted to \$75 per month from October 1, in accordance with the request of the Registrar General.

We further recommend that Miss Boswell, a temporary clerk in the office of the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, be placed on the permanent roll at \$55 per month from October 1, in accordance with the request of the Vice President General in Charge of Organization.

In accordance with the motion passed at the June Board meeting, that this Committee regulate the salaries and disposition of the clerks, we endeavored to employ an efficient woman for the position of official stenographer. We failed, however, to secure any one who could fill this exacting and difficult position for less than \$100 per month, which was the former rate. We engaged Mrs. Ezekiel, who agreed to take the position for \$85 per month until the October Board meeting. As you know, the work of Official Stenographer requires a high degree stenographic skill, good business training, and a knowledge of people and events. We recommend that the Official Stenographer be paid \$100 per month, and that the appointment of Mrs. Ezekiel be confirmed.

Referring to the joint recommendation of the Finance and Building and Grounds Committees, "that all temporary clerks be employed for one month at \$30 per month," passed at the June Board meeting, we would recommend that that motion be amended to read "that all temporary clerks, excepting those engaged to do special work, be employed for one month at \$30 per month, etc.," as it was not intended to place on the same footing with regular clerks, people who might have to be called in to do special work for varying periods of time and at special prices, according to the work required to be done. There is a distinction between special and temporary clerks, and the first motion was not intended to apply to this special class of employment.

In connection with the recommendation of the President General, which we quote, as follows,

I also recommend that our Business Office, which has been found to be of such value to all of the different offices in our Society, be distinct and separate from any special office, and under the direction of our Committee on Building and Grounds,

we have the following plan to offer:

The establishment of a central office on a more business-like basis than at present, through which all business pertaining to this building must pass; at the head of which should be a woman, designated as Chief Clerk, of wide experience and executive ability, who would be the representative of the National Board and of the Building and Grounds Com-

mittee to see that the rules and regulations are carried out in all departments, and who would be in constant every-day personal touch with the National Officers, clerks, and with conditions as they arose. This person would report weekly to the Building and Grounds Committee. One of her duties would be the keeping of a register of all applicants for positions, examinations being arranged for by her of all such applicants for efficiency tests.

We recommend that the employment of such a person be left in the hands of the Building and Grounds Committee, which would pass on her qualifications.

This Committee has in contemplation the compiling of a card catalogue of all the clerks employed in the building, in order that their qualifications might readily be referred to, and their possibilities for different kinds of work and salaries. The Society might thus avail itself of the special abilities of clerks to advantage, especially when work was pressing in other offices, in accordance with the following ruling of the National Board, Nov. 6, 1907:

Moved, That it is the desire of this Board that all Officers shall instruct their clerks to the effect that they are in the service of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, rather than of any one officer, and as such, shall hold themselves ready to render service wherever most needed at any time.

It is recommended by this Committee that the National Officers see that their clerks are kept in touch with the orders under which the Society is working, and those that are passed at each meeting by the National Board.

Respectfully submitted,  
(MRS. CHARLES W.) AMY S. RICHARDSON,  
Chairman Building and Grounds.

Moved by the Treasurer General, seconded by State Regent of Connecticut, that Mrs. Richardson's report be accepted.

The Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters stated that she desired to be heard in defense of the former superintendent, that she had been delegated to present his side of the case.

The State Regent of Kansas offered an amendment to the motion before the Board, that the motion to accept the report of Chairman of Building and Grounds be amended to read, *It is moved to accept the report and the recommendations be considered ad seriatim.* Seconded by the Registrar General and carried.

Following a discussion participated in by many of the members present, the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters read a statement in defense of the claim of the former superintendent, which she withdrew in favor of the motion offered by the State Regent of New Jersey, that *Mr. Lewis receive the month's salary and the small amount that he has paid of \$4.00.* This was seconded by the Historian General and the Chaplain General and carried.

The other recommendations were taken up and disposed of as follows:

Moved by the Registrar General, seconded

by the Vice-President General from Pennsylvania, and carried, that *the necessary repairs to the basement be done.*

Moved by the State Regent of Connecticut, seconded by the State Regents of Rhode Island and Maryland, and carried, that *we accept the recommendation that the Building and Grounds Committee be authorized to have the repairs and the necessary alterations made to the drive-way.*

With reference to the moving of the clerks from congested rooms, authorized at the June meeting, the Registrar General explained that moving clerks from her room meant their removal upstairs, and that it was necessary for the records to be consulted so much that it would mean a constant running up and down stairs for the clerks who had their desks on the floor above. The President General stated that while it would be the natural impulse to comply with the request of the National Officer, certain restrictions with regard to health, etc., had to be complied with. The President General ruled that this matter be left in the hands of the National Officer, the Committee of Building and Grounds, and the authorities of this city.

The Treasurer General asked that Mrs. Coleman of the Rebecca Stoddert Chapter of Texas be given the privilege of being reinstated, her dues having just come. Approved.

Moved by the State Regent of Virginia, seconded by the State Regent of Delaware, and carried, that *the Building and Grounds Committee be permitted to expend \$40 for machine to bale papers.*

Moved by the State Regent of Rhode Island, seconded by the State Regent of North Carolina, and carried, that *all the financial part appertaining to the use of the Auditorium for entertainments, etc., be transacted in and by the Treasurer General's office.*

Following the discussion on the request of the Building and Grounds Committee for a ruling as to their authority to carry out the recommendations of the Board, the Registrar General moved that *the card catalogue be not removed from the record room of the Registrar General, which was seconded by the State Regent of Georgia.* The motion by the Chaplain General, seconded by the State Regent of Connecticut, that *we lay it on the table*, was lost. The President General ruled that before taking up outside measures the report of the Building and Grounds Committee be gotten out of the way.

Moved by the Vice-President General from Pennsylvania, and seconded by the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters and carried, that *Mrs. Fishburne's salary be raised to \$75.*

Moved by the Registrar General, seconded by the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization, and carried, that *Mrs. H. C. Chun be given \$75 per month from Oct. 1.*

Moved by the Vice-President General from North Carolina, seconded by the State Regent of Rhode Island, and carried, that *the motion passed at the June Board Meeting, which read in part that "all temporary clerks be employed*

for one month at \$30 per month," be amended to read "that all temporary clerks, excepting those engaged to do special work, be employed for one month at \$30 per month, etc."

Moved by the State Regent of North Carolina, seconded by the State Regent of Georgia, and carried, that *Miss Boswell shall be placed on the permanent roll at the salary of \$55 a month.*

On the statement of the Chairman of the Building and Grounds Committee that the recommendation did not call for another clerk on the payroll, but that this employee was to take the place of a young woman who was to be married, it was moved by the State Regent of Delaware, and seconded by the State Regent of Virginia, and carried, that *the Building and Grounds Committee be authorized to employ a woman for the position of Chief Clerk in the Business Office to assume the duties outlined in their recommendations.*

Moved by the Vice-President General from North Carolina, and seconded by the State Regent of North Carolina, and carried, that *each National officer sees that her clerks are made acquainted with the orders under which this Society is working relative to her own department, and with all new rulings passed by the National Board.*

Moved by the State Regent of Connecticut, seconded by the Vice-President General from New Jersey, that we adopt the recommendation of the Building and Grounds Committee that the official stenographer, Mrs. Ezekiel, be paid \$100 a month. Motion carried.

On the Registrar General requesting action on her motion, the Librarian General asked that she be permitted to make the amendment that this motion be not voted upon until after the Finance Committee report is heard. The State Regent of Georgia, as seconder of the motion, asked the mover of it to wait until the Committee on Finance brought in its report.

Moved by the State Regent of North Carolina, seconded by the State Regent of Maryland, and carried, that *we proceed with the regular order of business.*

The Report of the Corresponding Secretary General was read by the Chaplain General: Madam President General and Members of the

National Board of Management:

The following report covers correspondence attended to and supplies sent from the office of Corresponding Secretary General for the months of June, July, August and September, 1913:

Letters received .....	1,302
Letters written .....	1,103
Application blanks mailed .....	12,728
Constitutions .....	2,106
Circular "How to Become a Member" .....	1,011
Miniature blanks .....	883
Officers' lists .....	896
Transfer Cards .....	510

1371 Constitutions with Proposed Revision and Proposed Changes in the Revision of the National Constitution and By-Laws were sent out according to the authorization of the 22nd Congress, to National Officers and State and Chapter Regents.

The matters referred by the Board at the June meeting to this office were given prompt attention.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY S. LOCKWOOD,

For Mrs. J. C. Burrows, Corresponding Secretary General N. S. D. A. R.  
October 1, 1913.

The Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters seconded by the State Regent of New Jersey, moved the acceptance of *Report of Corresponding Secretary General*, which was carried.

A letter was read from the National Conservation Congress inviting the National Society to become a member of that body. The President General instructed the Secretary to write regretting the impossibility of acceding to this request, inasmuch as we cannot become associated with other organizations.

The Librarian General, seconded by the Vice-President General from Pennsylvania, moved the motion to support and protect the home of Paine in England be courteously declined. Carried.

The State Regent of New Jersey, seconded by the State Regent of North Carolina, moved the house of John Revere be referred to the Massachusetts Society. Carried.

The State Regent of Ohio, seconded by the Vice-President General from Maine, moved the bid of the Bureau of Publicity be filed and consideration postponed, which was carried.

Moved by the State Vice-Regent of New York, seconded by the State Regent of Delaware, and carried, that *the Ketawamoke Chapter, Huntington, Long Island, be granted the privilege to incorporate for purposes of holding property.* At the request of the President General, a telegram was sent at once to the Chapter Regent giving the action of the Board.

Invitations were presented for State Conferences from Ohio, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania.

On motion of the Vice-President General from North Carolina, seconded by the Vice-President General from Ohio, the recommendation of the Building and Grounds Committee, that the employment of the new superintendent be confirmed by this Board, was carried.

Invitations to attend State Conferences were also extended from the State Regents of Illinois, North Carolina, Massachusetts, Virginia, Connecticut, New York, and Indiana. The State Regent of Connecticut called attention to the fact that it was their 21st anniversary.

The State Regent of Virginia stated that the Vice-President General from Virginia had a wedding in her family that day, and a telegram of felicitation was sent her by the Board.

The Registrar General presented a list of names conditionally which was accepted, and the Secretary was empowered to cast the ballot for the election of these latest names.

The Historian General read her report as follows:

Madam President General and Members of the  
National Board of Management:

The growing demand for information concerning the plans of work in the Historian General's department, leads me to believe that our Society is thoroughly aroused to its great opportunity and ready to enter upon a great work.

In going over the fields of possible activity and trying to find out the ground the department should cover, one opening after another has been discovered and already there are four clearly defined avenues of research work and study entered upon, with others in view.

In one of these the United States Government has recognized the value of our work and asked our cooperation. However many channels may be cut into the great body of history by the activity of my department, it is incumbent upon the head of the Department of History to realize and to provide for the inherent unity of all the branches in their development.

A department of work so wide in its scope, so representative in its *personnel*, commands a position of power and responsibility. In its workings we hope it may do away with all friction among chapters or States which have planned work suited to their own locality and arranged according to their own methods. The aim of the National Committee is to abolish all overlapping of effort which in its way is as wasteful as friction. The National Committee work in research and preservation should and probably will open the eyes of the workers in both chapter and State fields, to the truth that there can be no real rivalry except in good works, for we have one common aim.

I refer you to the 20th Psalm for an example of how we may think and pray for our country. It has sometimes seemed that the exercise of holy recollection was going out of practice and that America to-day was being impoverished because the history of yesterday was being forgotten. This Society is doing a great work when she seeks to preserve for the future the famous story of American's heritage. We cannot let the record die, can we? Rather let us do our part in recalling our country to the memory of its exploits, of its great men and women. Do you recall Old Mortality in Scott's famous tale, who with hammer and chisel went around the country-side re-engraving and deepening the inscriptions of the noble lives, brave doings, life and death of the old Covenanters, carved on the grave stones.

Today the Anne Arundel Chapter, Maryland, and many others are doing just such work for our Revolutionary and other heroes, and supplying for their descendants from tombstone inscriptions, the authentic data of long lost family records. As in Jewish families from earliest days it was a part of the holy commission entrusted to fathers and mothers to tell their glorious history to their children, so the various reports from our members telling of Story Telling Hours, conducted in foreign quarters of our cities for immigrant children, civic primers, instructing our new citizens in their duties and privileges as Americans, lantern slide lectures on our Constitution, and

The Story of Our Flag,—by all these means and methods of instruction this Society is truly enriching its own country in its own time, but are we individually teaching our children the truth we know about our country?

Primarily, my office has been busy with writing history and biographies. Our Lineage Books stand as the product of your careful research work and the partial payment of your obligation to the past.

I refer you to my April and June reports for an understanding of my plea for fuller, deeper, broader research genealogically in establishing in entirety not only the services of your ancestors in the Revolutionary War, but their complete record of descent from the first settlers of America. The annual circular, which will be issued in October as formerly, will again emphasize the call for more thorough, detailed work on supplemented family records which shall include facts, dates, lines of descent and fuller development of the ancestry of our ancestors on whose services alone we now claim our right to admission to this Society. It is right and our bounden duty to present the record of these noble lives in fullest detail and to make of our genealogical data thus obtained of their place in life, in the history of their time, full and perfect reference authority, their virtue, their standing reference authority. We are content to be Daughters of the American Revolution. Not to us but to them let honor come!

My plain straightforward statement about the aim and scope of the National Research and Preservation of Records Committee work must never be construed as giving an adherence to any plan or aim in our individual genealogical work, except that of giving our ancestors of the American Revolution all honor due them and placing the record of their lives in our family histories in fullest detail. Giving prominence and emphasis to their lines of descent and their place in the life of their times, and leaving it to future societies to find reasons in our lives for similar honoring.

The Daughters of the State of Texas have published for themselves and generously granted to all Daughters of the country, the use of their magnificent plan for preserving Genealogical History. After six months' careful study of various records, I unhesitatingly recommend for use in my department the Texas plan as one well suited to help us in our work of writing and preserving family records. Mrs. Gowens and Mrs. Hyman offer their work to the Society in a most unselfish desire to aid in a great work. Their contribution is a gift outright of time and talents worthily employed. Copies of the Texas plan may be secured in the office of Historian General. As the whole emphasis of my office has been laid on the essential of accuracy as the highest function in the writing of history, I am forced to speak now a serious word as Historian and to protest against repetition of the *form* and the inaccuracies of the *narrative* published in our July Magazine as the Minutes of the Official Board Meeting in June. Having been incorrectly quoted myself on very important measures, it is my imperative duty to state that I shall stand for the

same absolute adherence to accuracy in published proceedings that I do in the department of general history for which I am held personally responsible.

The quick fulfilment of my vision for a Study Course in American History to be offered all who cared to pursue it, has given me the opportunity today to announce that two courses of study are now ready. Both programs are the gifts of great students of history and are to be had on application in the Historian General's office. The future for this branch of our work is bright, as cooperation from some of the foremost historians in our country has been enlisted in our proposed study. In view of the fast increasing work and demands upon my small office force, it is now imperative that an extra clerk be granted me, and I therefore ask the appointment of a clerk to take office October 15th, and that said appointment be made with a view to training for assistance in preparation of the Lineage Book and Index.

The quality and value of our own original source material ready for publication by my Department calls for its defined place and allotted space in our own Magazine. I respectfully ask this Board to recommend and grant my request, that a recognized position in the National Magazine be granted the Department of History with its subheads and divisions as evolved and developed now numbering four—The Historical Research and Preservation of Records, The Marriage Record Bureau, Genealogical History or Family Record, The History Study—and to grant also the allotment monthly of not less than five pages space in the magazine.

The Marriage Records Bureau has attracted the attention of publishers and genealogists. We could easily find firms willing to take over and publish our already rich treasures of rescued records. The first forms for copying records have proven inadequate to the earliest form of Intentions as they were called as found in the wonderful set of Marriage Records copied in Fall River, Mass., and we have had to supply a new form. Many Parishes are furnishing copy of rare value and great antiquity and great enthusiasm marks the steps of our increasing number of research workers, in Jacksonville, Florida, Springfield, Ill., Delphi, Indiana and other places. Ohio, Michigan, Iowa, North Carolina, Kentucky, Maine, have done excellent service in the Department by writing State histories.

Several State Historians and State Chairmen of Historical Research have issued circulars of most helpful suggestions to workers and practical aid has been given the movement by local papers, north, east, south, west. State Historical Societies value our Lineage Books as reference books and are glad to exchange with us, and many inquiries come to me concerning the Index to the Lineage Books.

A year ago in conference with my two clerks and others interested in this need of an Index, I was informed that the work already done by my distinguished predecessor has proceeded to a considerable extent and the genealo-

gist, Mrs. Johnston, was at that time asked by me officially to procure from Mr. Darwin all material prepared, to be used in compiling our index to the Lineage Books. I refer you to Article VIII of the National Constitution as to duties of the Historian General:

"The Historian General shall have the custody of all historical and biographical collections of which the National Society may become possessed, and shall catalogue and arrange same, and shall place the same in a fire-proof repository for preservation. She shall prepare, for official publication by the Society, historical and biographical sketches of the Revolutionary ancestry of members and of distinguished women of the Revolution."

I respectfully call your attention to your President General's words uttered in connection with her support of the Chairman of Buildings and Grounds Committee. "It is a question whether you sustain the National officer in the performance of the duties which have been entrusted to her, etc., etc."

State Conferences have shown their desire to include a discussion of our plans for historical research work in their programs and if possible, I shall respond to several Conferences with an outline of suggestions garnered from the increasing fine reports from workers in the field. It would have been my pleasure to accept all invitations.

Newly established Historical and Genealogical Departments in Chapters are numerous and testify to the spirit and enthusiasm of a new America aroused to its duty and its privilege of preserving as fair pages of history as were ever written by any nation under the sun. With the means of suggestion, with the varieties of possible ways of expansion opening before us in our work, I appeal to you, women representing all this great land, I appeal to you for sympathetic understanding as we try to remove all obstacles and clear the way for the laying of the strong, broad foundation of this our National work.

My term of service as official head of this Department will soon expire and what little I can do in that time will depend largely upon your understanding of my aim and cooperation in the work.

In conclusion I wish to say that no higher aim could actuate any worker in the service of this Society than that wonderfully conceived by the grandest of Americans, Washington, who said:

"Let us raise a standard to which the wise and the honest may repair."

"The event is in the hand of God."

Respectfully submitted,

MARY COOLEY BASSETT,  
Historian General.

Moved by the Vice-President General from Ohio, seconded by the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, and carried that the report of the Historian General be accepted with thanks. Following the discussion on historical and research work, par-

ticipated in by the State Regent of Delaware, the President General, the Librarian General, the Chaplain General, the Historian General, the Vice Presidents General from Illinois and New Jersey, the State Regent of New Jersey, the Registrar General, the Vice President General from Georgia, the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, the State Regent of Connecticut, the Vice President General from Ohio, the State Regents of Georgia and District of Columbia, the Vice President General from Alabama, the State Regent of Kansas, it was moved by the Librarian General, seconded by the Vice President General from Pennsylvania, and carried, *that the discussion in regard to the report of the Historian General be expunged from the minutes.*

The Assistant Historian General having had to leave to take the train, her report was read by the Vice President General from Ohio, as follows:

Madam President General and Members of the Board of Management; Ladies:

I have the honor to make the following report:

The blank forms for the Smithsonian report have been sent to all the State and chapter regents, 1368 in all. With these forms was sent a circular letter stating that according to the terms of our charter granted by the Congress of the United States, our Society is required to make an annual report to Congress through the Smithsonian Institution. In addition some instruction was given as to the manner of filling out the blanks. This was deemed especially necessary for new chapters and past experience has shown that many of the old chapters do not understand the purpose of the report.

The form sent to State regents call among other things for two items: the number of members in each State and the increase in membership during the year in each State.

In this connection I make the following recommendation that the office of the Treasurer General be required to furnish this information whenever a State regent fails to do so.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY ANDERSON ORTON,  
(Mrs. Edward Orton, Jr.)

Asst. Hist. Genl. and Editor *The Smithsonian report.*

1 Oct. 1913.

The statement was made by the Vice President General from Ohio that she had accompanied the Assistant Historian General to the office of the Treasurer General and had been told by the clerk in charge that the clerical force was insufficient to give the information required. The President General read the statement from the Treasurer General to the effect that her office would find it impossible to count the membership in the chapters of every State for the Smithsonian Report. The Librarian General stated that the State Regents were the only ones who could give this information properly on account of the many changes constantly taking place. The State Regent of New Jersey stated that she could know the

number as the reports came to her every month. Several of the other State Regent expressed their opinions as to this information being furnished by the States.

The Librarian General presented her report, but did not read it. On motion of the Vice President General from Ohio, seconded by the State Regent of Ohio, it was carried, *that the report of the Librarian General be accepted and published in the Magazine.*

#### REPORT OF LIBRARIAN GENERAL, N. S. D. A. R.

October 1, 1913.

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management:

I have the honor to report the following accessions to library:

#### BOOKS.

Chittenden Family: William Chittenden of Guildford, Conn., and his descendants. Compiled by Alvan Talcott. New Haven.

Press of Tuttle, Morehouse & Taylor, 1882. Presented by Mary T. Beeman.

Lineage Book, N. S. D. A. R. Vol. 36. Washington, 1913. 2 copies. Presented by the Society.

George Rogers Clark Papers. 1771-1781. Edited by James Alton James. Volume 8 of Collections of the Illinois State Historical Library. Springfield, 1913. Presented by the Illinois State Historical Library.

Babbitt Genealogy. 1643-1900. Compiled by William Bradford Browne, Taunton. Press of C. A. Hack & Son, 1912. Presented by Miss Emily Jenny Babbitt.

The Southwestern Historical Quarterly. Vol. 16. Published by the Texas State Historical Association. Austin, 1913.

The Mayflower Descendants. Published by the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants. Boston, 1912. Vol. 14.

American Monthly Magazine. Vol. 41. Published by National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Report of the Virginia State Library for 1912, with supplementary list of Virginia Revolutionary Soldiers. Richmond, 1913.

The D. A. R. Cook Book. Compiled and presented by the Molly Foster Berry Chapter of Fort Scott, Kansas. 1913.

Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography. Vol. 36. Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1912. Presented by Mrs. Robert Alexander.

Register and Manual of the State of Connecticut. Hartford, 1913.

History of the First English Presbyterian Church in Amwell, N. J. By Rev. John B. Kugler. Somerville, 1912. Presented by Mrs. John B. Kugler.

Margaret B. Harvey. A sketch of her life and work. By Dora Harvey Develin. Philadelphia, 1913. Presented by Mrs. John F. Develin.

Social Life in Old New Orleans: being recollections of my girlhood. By Eliza Ripley. New York, 1912. Presented by Mrs. Laura L. Alexander through the Pelican Chapter.

For the Emily Hendree Park Memorial sixty-six volumes have been received since the last

Board Meeting, fifty were presented by Miss Emily Harrison, niece of Mrs. Park, the others by the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution.

The following twenty volumes are included in this latest gift from Georgia:

History of Georgia. By Lawton B. Evans. American Book Company, New York, 1898.

Memoirs of Georgia. 2 Vols. Southern History Association, 1895.

By-Paths in Dixie. By Sarah Johnson Cocke. E. P. Dutton & Co., New York, 1911.

Dames and Daughters of the Young Republic. By Geraldine Brooks. T. V. Crowell, New York, 1901.

A Southern Girl '61. By Louise Wigfall Wright. Doubleday & Page, New York, 1905.

Dixie after the War. By Myrta Lockett Avary. Doubleday & Page, New York, 1906.

A Belle of the Fifties. By Virginia Clay Clopton. Doubleday & Page, New York, 1905.

Literature of the South. By Montrose J. Moses. T. V. Crowell, New York, 1910.

Eloquent Sons of the South. By John Graves, Clark Howell and Walt Williams. 2 Vols. Chaple Publishing Company, Boston, 1909.

Atlanta Illustrated. By E. Y. Clarke. James P. Harrison & Co., 1881.

Memoirs of Revolutionary War. By Henry Lee. University Publishing Company, New York, 1869.

Georgia Landmarks, Memorials and Legends. By Lucian Lamar Knight. Vol. I. Atlanta, 1913.

Pioneer Citizens History of Atlanta. Byrd Printing Co., Atlanta, 1902.

Memoirs of Richard H. Clark. Edited by Lillie B. Wylie. Atlanta, 1898.

Life and Times of Thomas Jefferson. By Thomas E. Watson. New York, 1903.

Georgia, Historical and Industrial. Atlanta, 1901.

Biographical Souvenir of the State of Georgia and Florida. Chicago, 1889.

The D. A. R. and the U. D. C. of Georgia: Being a bound collection of pamphlets relating to the two societies.

Proceedings of the Georgia D. A. R. State Conference, November, 1912.

#### PAMPHLETS.

Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the Kentucky State Historical Society, June 7, 1913. Year Book of the Descendants of Signers of the Declaration of Independence, 1913.

The last two presented by Mrs. Amos G. Draper.

Oliver Hazard Perry and the War of 1812 in Newport, R. I. Published by Newport Historical Society, 1913.

Catalogue of Loan Exhibition of Relics and Heirlooms, July, 1913. Newport.

The last two presented by Miss Edith May Tilley.

The Lincoln Way. Report of the Board of Trustees of the Illinois State Historical Library of the investigations made by C. M. Thompson, Springfield, 1913. Presented by the Illinois State Historical Library.

Address by Robert Southall Bright, July 4, 1910, at Independence Hall, Philadelphia.

Phila., 1910. Presented by Mrs. Amos G. Draper.

History of the Battle of Bennington. By Frank Warren Coburn. Bennington, 1912. Presented by Mrs. Sanders Johnston.

Directory of the Connecticut D. A. R. for 1913-1914. Southington, 1913. Presented by the Connecticut Daughters.

National Magazine. Vermont, the Green Mountain State. September, 1913, issue. Presented by Mrs. Joseph A. DeBoer.

#### PERIODICALS.

Bulletin New York Public Library. June, July, August, September.

Daughters American Revolution Magazine, July, August, September.

Illinois State Historical Society Journal. January, July.

Maryland Historical Magazine. June, September.

Mayflower Descendants. January, April.

Missouri Historical Review. July.

Missouri Historical Society Collections, Vol. 4, No. 2.

National Genealogical Society Quarterly. July. Newport Historical Society Bulletin. July.

New England Historical & Genealogical Register. July, October.

New York Genealogical & Biographical Record. July.

"Old Northwest" Genealogical Quarterly. July-October, 1911.

Somerset County Historical Quarterly. July. Southwestern Historical Quarterly. July.

South Carolina Historical & Genealogical Magazine. April, July.

Virginia Magazine of History & Biography. July.

William & Mary College Quarterly. July.

The above list comprises eighty-one books, nine pamphlets, and twenty-six periodicals. Seventy-seven books were presented, three received in exchange, and one purchased. Nine pamphlets were presented.

Respectfully submitted,  
LIBRARIAN GENERAL.

October 1, 1913.

Presentations were made to the Library through the Historian General of the valuable works, *Story of Fall River, Mass.*, from the Quequechan Chapter; *Memoirs of the Dead and Tombs Remembrance*, through the Baltimore Chapter; and *Pictorial Annapolis*, Anne Arundel and the Naval Academy through the Peggy Stewart Tea Party Chapter of Annapolis. From the State Regent of Maryland, the Maryland Calendar of Wills, presented by the Anne Arundel Chapter of Maryland.

The report of the Finance Committee was then read by the Chairman as follows:

Madam President General and Members

of the National Board of Management:

You will see from my report that some matters were acted upon during the summer interval that would have come to the Board as recommendations had not the necessity for replies been urgent. I therefore submit to you all motions made in committee, assuring you that

intelligent and deliberate discussion was given and the best efforts on the part of all present were rendered to promote the interests and prosperity of our society.

I am under many obligations to Mrs. M. E. S. Davis for acting as Chairman of this Committee and performing all the duties connected with the office during my absence of two months and a half from Washington.

According to instructions the Finance Committee called for bids in order to secure a satisfactory plate, and paper for printing our Certificates of Membership. Several business firms were asked to bid, among them J. E. Caldwell & Co. Much correspondence was necessary to have a fair understanding with the various firms competing. It was well understood that the contract should be given to the lowest responsible bidder, and, it was necessary to know whether the various bidders were bidding on the same quality of paper, and whether they were bidding on steel plate or lithographic stone. Mrs. M. E. S. Davis, the acting Chairman, was most businesslike in her correspondence with all of the firms entering the competition. After my return Mrs. Davis and I went carefully over the entire correspondence and on September 15th I wrote the following letter:

"My dear Mrs. Story:

I have just returned to Washington and Mrs. Davis has given me your letter of Sept. 11th. I am glad to know that the matter of letting the contract for certificates has been settled in a satisfactory manner.

The bid of the Friedman Print seems very reasonable. I think it will be best to have them make a steel plate. Will you as President General and Chairman of the Executive Committee sign the contract, see the proofs of plate and paper, and give the necessary orders before the printing is done? There is great need of certificates and 6000 should be ordered as soon as possible. The matter was referred to the Executive Committee by the Board and as I understand it the Finance Committee really has no responsibility—except to approve the bill when the certificates have been delivered."

A very satisfactory letter from the President General agreeing perfectly with me settled this entire business.

On the 18th of September after my return to the city I called a meeting of the Finance Committee as there were several important matters that I wished the Committee to discuss and perhaps take action upon. But, there were so few members present that action was deferred.

The subject of bonding three clerks in the Registrar General's office was discussed and the Committee was in doubt in regard to the wishes of the Board as the exact motion had not been received by it.

Mr. Le Roy Mark (Insurance Agent) presented during my absence a bill for bonding three clerks in the Registrar General's office at the old rate, to date from April 25th. He was informed that a lower rate on a smaller amount could be secured in another company. He agreed to make reduction in rate but wrote the policy

for three clerks, one at \$1000, two at \$500 each. On Thursday or Friday last I received through the Treasurer General's office a message from Mr. Mark asking if the three clerks would be bonded at once, the bond being dated April 25th. He stated that no bond would be given for less than \$500. I replied to the office that I could not give a definite answer at once but the Finance Committee would meet in a very short time and the matter would then be decided.

On arriving at the Treasurer General's office on Friday morning last I found a cancelled contract from the company represented by Mr. Le Roy Mark, which I show you, and I ask the Treasurer General to return to him his contract, closing the incident.

June 24th, at a meeting of the Finance Committee, a motion was made by Mrs. Ransdell, seconded by Miss Pierce, and adopted, "to readjust the bonding of the clerks in the Registrar General's office, the Corresponding Secretary General's office and the Business Office, making as low a rate of premium as is commensurate with the amount of money received and the risks involved."

I have consulted with the Registrar General and she will be perfectly willing to have only two of her clerks bonded.

If the Board voted to bond three clerks that action should be reconsidered.

The Registrar General recommends the bonding of Miss Carter and Miss Sullivan.

I recommend as Chairman of Finance that these clerks be bonded for \$500 each, in the Fidelity and Guaranty Company of Baltimore, Maryland, and, that Miss Flora Fernald, in the Corresponding Secretary's office and Miss Julia Fernald in the Business Office (whose bonds expire November 24th), be bonded in the same company for \$500 each. The above-mentioned company will bond for any sum, large or small, and the Treasurer General and the clerks in her office are bonded by this firm.

Mrs. Lockwood and I investigated the matter of transferring the insurance on the building. Mr. Charles J. Bell, of the American Security and Trust Company, showed us the policies and stated that they were so endorsed he thought they could not be cancelled for some time at least.

At the meeting of the Committee, on July 3rd, the following motions were passed:

1. "That the dates on charters correspond with the administration's in which they were asked for." (The reasons given were that one had just been issued having contradictory dates.)
2. "That the question of dates for the meeting of the Panama Exposition be left to the President General."
3. "That the President General at our request, as she is now in Washington, go and have a talk with the insurance men now insuring us."
4. "That the Chairman of the Committee ascertain the ruling which prevails regarding the vouchers paying the salaries of the heads of departments, and whatever is

found to be in ruling at the present time be carried out in every department."

At the meeting held September 29th the following motions were adopted:

"I move we recommend the approval of Mrs. Fowler's stenographic bill."

"I move we recommend to the National Board that the new Superintendent, Mr. Phillips, be bonded for \$1,000 with the same company that is bonding the clerks."

"I move that we recommend that the whole matter of insurance be left in the hands of the President General to settle as she deems best in the interest of the society."

"I move that this Committee recommend that all moneys paid out by the society be paid by check and drawn by the Treasurer General, such checks to be drawn payable to the order of the person or persons rendering the service or supplies to the society. That is, all checks for clerical service shall be drawn to the individual clerk rendering the service, and that all bills incurred for the supplies of the society be drawn to the firm or firms that supply the same."

"I move that this Committee recommend that the President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story, be reimbursed for the \$5.00 she has paid for the insignia rescued from the pawnshop, and the matter of the pawning of the insignia be investigated by the society."

The Finance Committee recommends that a duplicate copy be made of the card catalogue in Registrar General's Office, and that it, with the Genealogical Research Department, be made a part of the Library.

I also recommend that the Treasurer General be authorized to take up one of our outstanding bonds as soon as she has the money in the office to permit her doing so.

During the past four months the Finance Committee has authorized bills to the amount of \$20,442.53. I will give below only the largest items of this amount, viz:

Payroll, Clerical..... \$9,505.21  
Employees of Hall..... 1,870.62 \$11,375.83

Real Daughters' Support.....	1,280.00
Postage including stamped envelopes for Committees, National Officers & State Regents .....	600.20
Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine, Salaries of Editors & expenses of Committee.....	551.81
American Audit Co., audits for April, May, June & July	\$250.00
Preparing Annual Report..	133.25
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Respectfully submitted,  
(Signed) M. L. STERNBERG,  
Chairman.

(Signed) FLORENCE G. FINCH,  
Vice-Chairman.

October 1, 1913.

On motion of the State Regent of the District of Columbia, seconded by the Vice President General from Pennsylvania, it was carried that the Finance Committee report be accepted.

Referring to the recommendation of the Chairman of the Finance Committee and that

of the Registrar General that two clerks in her office be bonded, the President General ruled that, since there was no objection, the proposition of the Committee was accepted, to have two clerks bonded instead of three.

Moved by the Historian General, seconded by the Librarian General, and carried, that the Auditor's report and the motions appearing in the July Magazine, pertaining to the same, be referred back to the Finance Committee with power to act.

Moved by the Registrar General, seconded by the Vice-President General from Pennsylvania and the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters and carried, that no minutes be printed in the magazine except they be signed by the Recording Secretary and that they be sent by her to the editor of the magazine and that both the Recording Secretary and editor read the proof of the same.

The Report of the Auditing Committee was read by Mrs. M. E. S. Davis, the Chairman having had to take the train:

The Auditor has submitted his report for the months of April, May, June, July and August, and in every case he has four the cash, checks and vouchers of the Treasurer General's office to the full amount of the fund. Also in the Business office, all money shown by the record to have been received by the Business Office from the Finance book was reconciled with the records of the Treasurer General's office.

(Signed)

AMERICAN AUDITING COMPANY,

A. LEUBKERT,  
Vice President.

The Chairman of the Auditing Committee wishes to say in conclusion that she is very happy in having on her committee two ex-Treasurers General, who will so ably assist her in the discharge of her duties.

SOPHIA C. HALL,  
Chairman of Auditing Committee.

We, of the Auditing Committee, wish to express our entire confidence in our President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story, and to ensure the success of this admiration, desire that the finances of this Society, which is the foundation of our success, be in every way carefully guarded and conserved.

MRS. M. E. S. DAVIS,  
Sec. for the Committee.

Recommended by the Auditing Committee:

That no bills be paid by the Treasurer General, unless a copy of the motion authorizing such expenditure accompany same.

M. E. S. DAVIS,  
second, M. L. MOODY.

It was moved by the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, seconded by the Vice President General from Illinois, that the report of Auditing Committee be accepted. Carried.

The Chairman of the Printing Committee reported:  
To the President General and Ladies of the Board:

The Printing Committee met Sept. 30, at 10 A. M., in Memorial Continental Hall, with three present.

Two bids were sent in for thirty thousand blanks; one \$162.00 and the other \$124.00. Of course the lower bid was accepted.

We O. K'd five hundred wrappers for Business office and authorized printing Mrs. Noyes' book (description of hall) on society's press; in fact all printing that can be done in that way, and save expense.

We ordered more hand books printed with changes, or corrections, and we asked that the Business office be allowed to take orders for any printing needed by the society, but must be signed by Chairman of Printing Committee, or Vice Chairman.

Respectfully submitted,  
MRS. A. P. PERLEY, Chairman.

Moved by the State Regent of Kansas, seconded by the Librarian General, that the chairman's report of Printing be accepted.

The Chairman of the Committee on Revolutionary Relics stated she had no report to present.

The Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters asked for a ruling as to the part State Officers might take in their State Conferences, because of the many inquiries coming to her on this point. This subject was discussed by the State Regents of Kansas and Georgia, the Vice President General and the State Regent of Illinois, the Registrar General, the State Vice Regent of New York, the Vice President General from New Jersey. No action was taken, the concensus of opinion being that it was a matter that rested with the States and not with the National Board. The President General made the suggestion that all points not clear be referred to the Chairman of the Committee to Revise the Statutes, Mrs. Livingston Rowe Schuyler, who was able to answer any and every question on these points.

The State Regent of Maryland addressed the Board.

Madam President General and Members of the Board: I have a resolution which I would like to present.

Mr. J. Charles Linthicum, of Maryland, has recently introduced into the House of Representatives two bills one (House Bill No. —) asking for an appropriation by Congress of a sufficient sum of money to restore to sea service the old ship Constellation, which gave such valiant service in the War of 1812. Baltimore wants this old ship brought back to Baltimore, where it was built, in time for Centennial Celebrations to be held in 1914.

The second Bill (House Bill No. —) providing that Congress vest the jurisdiction and care of Old Fort McHenry in the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore subject always to its use for military purposes. At present the Fort is in a most forlorn condition, the Government having practically abandoned it. Baltimore wishes the privilege of preserving it in good condition and establishing there, it may be, a historic monument.

It was the bombardment of this old Fort that inspired the writing of our beautiful anthem, the "Star Spangled Banner." You

all know the story and I need not repeat it; but I am sure that the heart of every woman present can feel the joy that must have been Key's, when in the "dawn's early light" his straining eyes saw our Starry Banner still waving from the ramparts.

It is this place we want preserved and kept in proper condition.

At the Centennial Celebration next year we Marylanders hope to lay the corner stone of a beautiful memorial, and so Madam President General in view of these facts, I wish to present the following resolution:

Whereas the Honorable J. Charles Linthicum, member of the House of Representatives, of the Congress of the United States of America, from the State of Maryland, has presented in said body the two following bills; viz., House Bill No. —, asking that an appropriation be made by Congress for the restoration to sea service of the ship "Constellation," and that said ship be sent to Baltimore, Maryland, during the "Star Spangled Banner Centennial Celebration," to take place at said city in September, 1914; and House Bill No. —, providing that Congress vest the jurisdiction and care of "Fort McHenry" in the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, subject always to the right of the United States Government to use the same for military purposes; and

Whereas, the passage of both of said bills is deemed of the highest importance in the fostering and perpetuation of the spirit of true patriotism among the people of the United States in general, and the people of the City of Baltimore and the State of Maryland in particular;

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, That we the National Board of the Daughters of the American Revolution, representing that great body of patriotic women, do hereby heartily endorse the aforesaid bills, and earnestly petition the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress Assembled, to give their most serious consideration to said bills, and if they shall find the same to be in accord with and for the best interests of the people of the United States of America, that said bills receive their approval and be enacted into law; and

Be It Further Resolved, That the Corresponding Secretary of this Board be instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to the Senate and to the House of Representatives, together with a personal letter recommending the passage of both of said bills.

Respectfully submitted,  
CORNELIA S. HOGAN.

On motion of the Vice-President General from Ohio, seconded by the Historian General and the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, it was carried that the request of the State Regent of Maryland be granted, that petitions be sent to Congress regarding the care of Ft. McHenry, and the restoration of the ship Constellation.

The President General brought before the Board the facts that April 19 fell next year on Sunday, and it was therefore moved by the Registrar General, seconded by the Vice-President

General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, and carried, that *Congress be held the week following April 19*. The President General announced that the dates for the holding of the Board meetings having been left to her, and representations having been made that the financial reports would be more satisfactorily arranged if the meetings were held at a later date in the month, she proposed to call the meetings on the third Wednesday of each month, each meeting to be a regular meeting for all business.

The announcement was made that the Chairman of Magazine Committee was ready to report, and while Miss Finch, the Chairman of the Magazine Committee was coming forward, the State Regent of Kansas asked the consideration of her motion, that *the Old Trails Committee be regularly allowed three or four pages (as space permits) in the Daughters of American Revolution Magazine*. In the discussion which followed, it was questioned whether this was not to be decided by the Chairman and editor of the magazine, and the State Regent of Kansas pointed out that the motion only provided that these pages should be granted as space permits. The motion was therefore seconded by the State Regent of North Carolina and carried.

Miss Finch, the Chairman of the Magazine Committee, reported as follows: That the printing of the Magazine had unexpectedly been thrown on her hands last July, and she had had to get out the September and October issues herself, without receiving either the plates belonging to the Magazine, without information regarding advertising contracts, and without the subscription list, all which the former publishers had not turned over to her up to the present time, notwithstanding the fact that she had made formal demands upon them for same, not only once, but several times. In getting out the September issue, Miss Finch changed the cover in the effort to have something more distinctly D. A. R., in appearance than the different covers used heretofore.

The State Regent of the District of Columbia stated that the cover was the design of Miss Finch, the Chairman of the Magazine Committee, who was too modest to say this for herself. Many members of the Board expressed approval of the new cover as being more distinctive and very attractive.

The Chairman of the Magazine Committee read portions from the American Audit Company's report of the accounts of the Magazine taken from the books and files in the office of F. W. Wilson, former manager, covering a period from October 1st, 1911, to April 30th, 1913, revealing to the members of the Board the true situation regarding the magazine's financial history as far as the investigation has gone. Miss Finch outlined the plans she has in mind for the upbuilding of the magazine. In reference to the recommendation made at the June meeting of the Magazine Committee, which recommendation was endorsed by the National Board of Management, that the Chairman of the Magazine Committee secure bids for the printing of the magazine and re-

port at the next meeting of the Committee to whom, in her estimation, the printing contract should be given, the Chairman stated that she had given to the Magazine Committee her estimation that the Friedman Print were the firm who should receive the contract. The Chairman read letters from an attorney representing the interests of a printer, requesting to know if the National Society intend or are willing to pay for the printing of the Magazine for the months of last February, March, April and May, contracted for by Mr. Wilson, whom they were unable to reach, and which account is still unsettled. This item and several others were brought before the members of the Board who left them in the hands of the Chairman to take whatever action is in accordance with the protection and best interests of the magazine.

The Chaplain General stated that the National Society was under great obligations to Miss Finch for the great amount of work she had done in getting at the facts in the matter of the magazine, and she moved that *the Board only require Miss Finch to give her time and strength to the magazine henceforth to its future up-building—that she be relieved from all these back complications*. This was seconded by the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters and carried.

The State Regent of Kansas stated as a member of the Magazine Committee that she would say that all these matters had been read to their Committee, that it would take all day to hear about it all, and all that remained for the National Board to do was to endorse the recommendation of the Magazine Committee that the contract be placed with the Friedman Print, and authorize the Chairman to go ahead. The Vice-President General from Illinois said there was one thing more to do, that was to give Miss Finch a vote of thanks. It was, therefore, moved by the Vice-President General from Illinois, seconded by the State Regent of Illinois, and carried, that *a vote of thanks and appreciation be given Miss Finch for the investigation she has made and endorse the work and plans as presented at this meeting*.

The Registrar General moved that *the Chairman of Magazine Committee be empowered to employ a clerk whenever she considers it necessary*. This was seconded by the State Regent of Kansas and carried.

Moved by the Vice-President General from North Carolina, seconded by the Vice-President General from New Jersey, that *the recent contract for printing the Magazine, as made by the Magazine Committee, be endorsed*. Carried.

Discussion as to the best means of receiving subscriptions was participated in by the Registrar General, the Chairman of the Magazine Committee, the Chaplain General, the Vice-President General from Ohio, the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, it being explained by the Magazine Chairman that it was the desire of her Committee to eliminate the additional salary of a Business Manager. Moved by the Vice-President General from Ohio, seconded by the State

Regent of Ohio, and carried, that this matter of subscriptions be left in the hands of Miss Finch.

The President General referred to the motion passed at the April 21 Board meeting, making the railroad committee a permanent one, and because the word Bureau was then used the question had been raised as to the propriety of a Committee doing this work—that this Committee had been appointed and were ready to go to work. The Vice-President General from Alabama, therefore, moved that the action to have a Bureau on Transportation be rescinded and a permanent Committee be named. This was seconded by the State Regent of New Jersey and carried.

The President General stated that she had been asked to name five delegates to the National Conservation Congress, which was to be held on November 18, 19, and 20, at Washington, D. C., and asked for nominations. The State Regent of Illinois gave the name of Mrs. Frank R. McMullin, Chairman of the State Committee of Illinois on Conservation; the State Regent of the District of Columbia mentioned the Librarian General; the President General said she would also appoint the Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, and the State Regent of the District of Columbia, and would make the rest of the appointments later.

The President General announced that through an unfortunate lack of knowledge a member at large who had been expelled from her chapter had been appointed state chairman on one of the committees, that inasmuch as it was not wise to name an expelled member of a chapter as a state chairman, as it would be impossible for her to do any work in the particular committee to which she had been named, besides not being fair to name a member at large as the representative of a great department as the whole chapter should be honored, she desired to revoke the appointment. She stated that the matter might come up later and she wished the Board to know that she had reported it to them. Members of the Board expressed the opinion that the President General and the State Regent had the right to take this action.

The President General presented the report of the Committee on Insignia, which was referred back to the Committee until the November meeting with the request for bids from other firms. The President General made the statement that it was not a question of having the insignia changed, but the laws required a slight change in order to protect the patent rights.

The Vice-President General from Ohio stated that she had been asked to say to the Board if this question of insignia came up that Caldwell & Company had stated that they could not furnish the pin at the same price if the additional eagle were used—that it would make the pins cost much more.

It was moved by the State Regent of Kansas, seconded by the State Regent of New Jersey that the report of the Committee on the insignia be postponed until the November Board meeting. Carried.

The President General read a letter from the

State Regent of Utah with respect to the fight being waged to keep out women of polygamous lineage from their chapters, and stated that it was brave and hard to stand up for the right principle in the heart of opposition as these women were doing. The Vice-President General from New Jersey, and the Chaplain General also spoke in approval, and the Vice-President General from New Jersey moved that the Board endorse the stand of the State Regent of Utah against polygamous lineage. This was seconded by the Vice-President General from Maine and carried.

The President General referred to a letter she had received from Mrs. Chalmers M. Williamson, Vice-President General from Mississippi in which mention was made of the illness of her husband and the possibility of being unable to continue in her active work with the National Society, and of her interest in the local and state work she was doing. On motion of the Registrar General, seconded by the Historian General, it was carried that a letter of sympathy and expression of encouragement in her work be sent Mrs. Chalmers M. Williamson, V.P.G. Miss.

The President General reported that there was a man in New York who was doing some of the most patriotic and magnificent work in teaching people to save themselves and others, who had all about the coasts of New York taught poor people, boys and girls, how to save others in the water, all without any compensation whatever. He was now ready to go and lecture to any chapter that wanted him, bringing his own slides, for a very small remuneration. The name was Commodore W. E. Longfellow, 829a Quincy Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

The President General referred to a letter received from Miss McDuffee, Regent, Lucinda Hinsdale Stone Chapter, in which she outlined a plan of a D. A. R. Guide to the United States, incorporating whatever each state has most reason to be proud of and a brief description of these advantages, and that these records be placed in the hands of an editor and the book published and sold for the benefit of the Memorial Continental Hall—that in itself it would be a work of real value—to help Americans to a more appreciative understanding of their own country.

The State Regent of New Jersey requested that the President General speak of this project at their State Conference to give a little impetus to the idea. Much interest was expressed, and the Secretary was instructed to write Miss McDuffee that it was hoped she might develop it into something practical.

The State Regent of Georgia stated that a note had been handed her to read to the Board.

To the Board of Management, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

I herewith have the honor to apply for the position of Official Reader for the Congress to be held in April, 1914.

Trusting that my services in the past have been sufficiently satisfactory to deserve a continuation of your favor,

Very sincerely yours,

(Mrs. L. B.) MABEL G. SWORMSTEDT.  
September 30, 1913.

The President General stated that this was a matter that did not come before the Board, that the President General appointed the Official Reader.

The President General instructed the Recording Secretary General to express the sympathy and regret of the Board to those members who had written that they had been prevented because of illness, etc., from attending the meeting.

On motion of the Registrar General, seconded by the State Regent of Ohio, it was carried that the *Treasurer General pay for the china in bond as soon as she considers it possible.*

The Registrar General made the suggestion that it might be well for the Treasurer General to wait until the new tariff went into effect as there might be a reduction in the tariff, but the Historian General stated that she had assured the firm that the matter would be brought up at the present Board meeting and the bill paid at once, or she would feel in duty bound to pay it herself. She stated that she had failed to make it clear that this money was simply an advance, as the money would all come back.

The Recording Secretary General read the following recommendations passed at the meeting of the Memorial Continental Hall Committee the evening before:

That Continental Hall Committee recommend to the National Board that the china which Mrs. Bassett was authorized to purchase, be paid for. Mrs. Reynolds; Mrs. Parker.

That the china described be released from bond and brought to the Hall, after action by the Board. Miss Wileox; Mrs. Fletcher.

That the Treasurer General be empowered to take up a Bond so soon as, in her opinion, the deposits will warrant it. Mrs. Hall; Mrs. Linthicum.

That State Regent of Connecticut be allowed to attend to placing inscription on Memorial door. Mrs. Brumbaugh; Mrs. Libbey.

Recommendations approved. It was pointed out that the inscription on the Memorial door would be placed in accordance with the prescribed plan for such work.

The Vice-President General of New Jersey stated that she was shortly to take a trip to the West Indies and would be in Havana, and she would ask the President General and the Board, if they considered it proper, to give her a letter of introduction to the Regent of the Havana chapter, so that she might carry them the greetings of the Board, and tell the members of the little chapter of the progress of the work in this country. The motion was made by the Historian General, seconded by the Vice-President General from Illinois, and carried,

*that a letter of introduction be granted Mrs. Libbey to be used on her visit to the Chapter D. A. R., in Havana, and that she carry greetings from National Board.*

The Historian General referred to a request from a lady in Michigan as to what was to be done about the portrait of Mary Ball on the certificate of membership, and the President General stated that it was the consensus of opinion that the change could not be made except by Congress, and it had been decided at the June Board meeting as an indication of sincerity the new certificates would be engraved with the words "supposed portrait."

The Recording Secretary General read a letter from Mrs. Lindsay in appreciation of the sympathetic greeting from the Board.

The President General requested the Recording Secretary General to express to Mrs. Julius J. Estey the sympathy of the Board in the loss of her sister, and to Mrs. Henry F. Blount in the loss of her son. Also to Mrs. E. Washington Bellamy in the accident which had recently befallen her.

The Historian General asked that a letter of sympathy be sent to Miss Alice Fineckel, a clerk in the Historian General's office, in the loss of her sister, and one to Mrs. Johnston, who has had a serious fall.

The Recording Secretary General read the motions, which, the President General stated, constituted the action of the Board and would be considered the minutes. Approved. Adjournment moved and seconded at 9.25 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,  
ABBY WILLIAMS R. BOYLE,  
Recording Secretary N. S. D. A. R.  
Mrs. Wm. C. Boyle.

#### ERRATA.

The motion made at the June Board meeting, that the necessary expenses for keeping the rooms in repair be borne by the general society at the discretion of the House and Grounds Committee, was not carried.

In the President General's report at the June Board meeting, the recommendation should have read "I therefore recommend that bids be asked from other well known and responsible companies for placing our insurance at a lower rate than that obtaining at present, etc."

The motion made at the June Board meeting, that the matter of insurance be referred to the Finance Committee of the National Society with power to act upon the question of reinsurance or cancellation, this Committee to confer with not less than five reliable insurance brokers, including those with whom we are now insured, was made by Mrs. Bassett, and seconded by Mrs. Lockwood and Mrs. Van Landingham.

ABBY WILLIAMS R. BOYLE.  
Recording Secretary General.

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